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Age Security Advisers Ask Coverage for Federal Jobs

Report Also Urges Inclusion of Farm And Domestic Labor, Decrease in Reserve

By William V. Nessly.

Vast extension of the old-age insurance program, to include, eventually, Government employes along with farm and domestic help, self-employed persons and other groups not now included, is favored in the report of the Social Security Advisory Council, officially made public last night.

Other important points favored by the council, many of which were told in The Post of December 15, included:

Provision of benefits for the wives, widows and dependent children of insured workers, emphasizing "security for the family unit" as a goal.

Further study of benefits for permanent and total disability.

Would Start Payments in 1940

Beginning of benefit payments January 1, 1940, instead of in 1942, and increasing the average benefits in the early years.

Reduction of payments to unmarried annuitants, after a few years, to help bear the added cost of the system.

Study of a possible cut in the larger benefits potentially available in the future, so that benefits will be more even.

Creation of a comparatively small "contingency reserve fund" instead of the full reserve of an estimated $47,000,000,000 now provided for.

Contribution by the Federal Government of one-third of the cost of the system, with employers and workers sharing the remaining expense.

Propose Special Fund

Placing of revenue from old-age insurance taxes in a special trust fund, rather than in the Treasury's general fund as at present.

"Consistent with its acceptance of the contributory insurance method as socially necessary and desirable," said the report, "the council recommends the extension of the coverage of this method to the largest possible proportion of our gainfully employed population."

Addition of the Government employes to the proposed scope of the coverage apparently was a recent move. The workers were not included in a tentative copy of the report previously circulated.

"Problems" Involved

The proposal was included in a clause reading:

"The old-age insurance program should be extended as soon as feasible to include additional groups not included in the previous recommendation of the council, and studies should be made of the administrative, legal and financial problems involved in the coverage of self-employed persons and governmental employes."

Presumably the problems to be studied would involve that of working the present system of civil service retirement payments and benefits into the social security set-up.

Farm Labor by 1940

Earlier in its report, the advisory group renewed proposals that seamen and bank employes, numbering about 600,000, be brought under the act without delay. It suggested immediate extension, also, to employes of nonprofit religious, charitable and educational institutions, estimated to number 2,000,000.

Farm and domestic labor, numbering about 6,000,000 persons, should be brought in by January 1, 1940, if possible, the council said, and suggested that the administra-

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Neediest Families Fund

YOUR contribution to The Post's 1938 Neediest Families Fund will help to solve the pressing difficulties of one of this community's neediest and most deserving family groups.

EACH of these "neediest families" has been investigated and is recommended as especially deserving of assistance by a member agency of the D. C. Council of Social Agencies.

CONTRIBUTIONS may be deposited in the Neediest Families Fund box at the counter on the first floor of The Post Building or mailed to the fund, in care of The Washington Post, 1337 E street northwest.

First Lady Helps Santa at Roosevelt High Party

Associated Press Photo.

Mrs. Roosevelt helped Santa distribute gifts at a Roosevelt High School party for crippled children yesterday. Rose Bianco, 11, of 327 Ninth street southeast, receives her gift from the First Lady as Santa William R. Schmucker nods approvingly. (Story on Page 3.)

California Doctors Adopt Group Health

State Medical Society Launches Plan to Cost Citizens $2.50 a Month

By the Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Dec. 18.—By an overwhelming standing vote today the California Medical Association approved a plan of socialized medicine to cost residents of the State $2.50 a month each.

Approval was granted at a special session of the medical association's house of delegates, representing 7,000 California physicians. The vote authorizes immediate formation of a subsidiary corporation to put the plan into operation.

"I believe this is a distinct step forward in giving the people of California a chance to pay for health service at a nominal cost," said Dr. Charles Dukes, of Oakland, president-elect of the organization. "The plan will guarantee the highest type of medical service and will not interfere with private practice."

Patients will select their own doctors and hospitals. Payments will be made weekly, monthly or semi-monthly, Dr. Dukes said. Physicians will be paid on a unit basis, payments graded from single units for minor services to 25 or more units for major operations.

Dr. Dukes said it would take six to eight months to put the plan into operation. It entails establishment of the health insurance system by individual districts.

While the exact cost has yet to be determined, the estimate is $2.50 a month for each person. No provision for family group insurance was made under the revised final plan.

Pope Pius Braves Rain and Cold to Greet Scientists

Vatican City, Dec. 18 (AP).—Pope Pius XI braved cold and rainy weather today to go to the Pontifical Academy of Science in the Vatican gardens to preside at the opening of the third academic year.

The Pontiff delivered a 45-minute discourse on science and religion to a brilliant assemblage of scientists, prelates and diplomats.

2 Men, Woman Killed, 18 Hurt In Car Crashes

Motorman Dies as Auto Hits Trolley; 2 Police Machines Are Struck

Two men and a girl were killed and 18 persons injured, several critically, in traffic accidents here and in nearby Virginia yesterday.

In the District, Aubrey B. Small, 23, of 34 A street northeast, died at Georgetown Hospital after being crushed between the rear of a street car and an automobile in the 5200 block of Wisconsin avenue northwest.

A. B. SMALL

Mrs. Gladys Karr, 25, of 134 Eleventh street southeast, died in Casualty Hospital after an automobile accident.

In Virginia, Ernest McAllister, 37, Richmond truck driver, was dead on arrival at Alexandria Hospital following a collision between two trucks on U. S. Route 1, a mile south of Ingleside.

Police Hold U. S. Clerk

Small, an employe of the Capital Transit Co., was guiding the trolley of a street car entering the car barn when he was struck by an automobile operated by William E. Hopkins, 22, of 3901 Windom place northwest.

Hopkins, a Government clerk, was arrested by Eighth Precinct police and held on a technical charge to appear before a coroner's jury at an inquest tomorrow.

The two deaths here raised the District traffic toll to 84 for this year. Last year's total at this time was 100.

Eight Hurt Within an Hour

Eight persons were hurt within an hour in the 4200 block of Alabama avenue southeast in two accidents.

Mrs. Karr was injured fatally in the first accident when an automobile in which she was riding struck another car. She died at Casualty Hospital of a fractured skull and spine and compound fracture of the right leg.

Theodore Poling, 20, 5719 Fourth street northwest, driver of the car

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Fired Employe Kills Boss Here For Revenge

Bakery Foreman Shot As Workmen Watch; Police Claim Confession

A young colored man took revenge yesterday for losing his job when he walked into the bakery where he had been employed and shot the foreman dead in front of a group of terrified workers.

Within 40 minutes of the shooting, officers of the Fourth Precinct arrested William Flemming Johnson, 22, colored, of 1112 New Jersey avenue southeast. Police said Johnson signed a confession.

The victim, George Skandalas, 40, a foreman of the Athens Baking Co., of 476 L street southwest, was killed instantly when two bullets plowed into his chest and abdomen. His 22-year-old wife, Evangeline, with whom he lived at 471 H street southwest, was treated at Providence Hospital for hysteria.

Told Him to "Go Home"

According to the owner of the bakery, Thomas Stethopulos, who arrived at the scene after the shooting, Johnson was a helper in the establishment. He failed to come to work yesterday morning, and when he arrived at the bakery at about 2 p. m., Skandalas told Johnson "to go home," Stethopulos said. After a short argument, Johnson left the bakery.

Stethopulos said that 45 minutes later the man returned to the bakery, walked up to Skandalas and, without a word, fired the fatal shots. William Mantis, 52, one of the eight employes in the room where the shooting occurred, rushed after the fleeing man, but failed to stop him.

U. S. Steel Official, Daughter Missing; Empty Boat Found

Miami Beach, Dec. 18 (AP).—Finding of an empty damaged motorboat today caused police to fear that Charles S. Rye, 56, a United States Steel Corporation official from Elmhurst, Ill., and his 6-year-old daughter, Dorothy, were drowned in Biscayne Bay.

They have not returned to their hotel suite since Thursday, when they chartered the 22-foot craft for a few hours on the bay. A search by air, water and land was started.

Marine police said a small hole in the bow may indicate the girl fell overboard when the boat hit a submerged obstruction. The father, police theorized, possibly leaped to save his child, and the boat continued on, unoccupied, until it ran out of fuel.

In the boat, found stranded on a tiny island on the Miami side of the bay, was a man's tennis shoe, a raincoat and a pair of glasses.

Rye came here December 7 to recuperate from a nervous breakdown.

Television Receiver Placed in White House

A television receiving set, said to be the first of its kind ever produced, was installed in the White House yesterday. Similar sets were installed in the homes of Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes, Ebert K. Burlew, Acting Secretary of the Interior, and Marvin H. MacIntyre, Presidential secretary.

Va. Guards Sent To Protect Slayer Hunted by Posse

Richmond, Va., Dec. 18 (AP).—Gov. Price said tonight he had ordered 20 National Guardsmen to Scottsburg, scene of a search for a colored gunman who killed a Halifax County deputy sheriff, Herbert Boelte, late today.

The guard unit was sent, the Governor said, to prevent any disturbance when the fugitive is captured.

Maj. H. B. Nicholas, superintendent of State police, with two other officers from headquarters here, also left for Scottsburg. Seven State troopers were already on the scene, Nicholas said.

A posse of several hundred tonight was scouring the region with the help of bloodhounds.

Deputy John Hatcher, who was with Boelte at the time of the shooting, was not harmed.

It was not known whether the officers were attempting to arrest the assailant at the time of the shooting. One report said that the shooting occurred while they were searching a house here.

N. Y. Navy Yard Fire Perils Oil Stores

New York, Dec. 18 (AP).—Three alarms were sounded for a fire in the Brooklyn Navy Yard tonight. Police reported the fire was in a two-story brick building where paints and oils were stored.

Chesapeake Bay Fisherman Given U. S. Medal for Heroism

A Chesapeake Bay fishing boat captain who paddled a light skiff through burning gasoline on the surface of Smiths Creek at Wynne, Md., to rescue four persons from a flaming cabin cruiser, yesterday was presented with a Congressional medal for bravery in ceremonies at Ridge, Md.

The fisherman, Capt. William Taft Tippett, is the first member of the hardy little band of "men who go down to the sea in ships" in the Ridge area to receive the citation.

More than 80 of the fishing captains whose lives have been spent on the water bared heads in the Knights of Columbus Hall at Ridge, home of Capt. Tippett, as the Rev. Edward Karr presented the medal.

Engraved on the silver emblem were the words: "In Testimony of Heroic Deeds in Saving Life from the Perils of the Sea." It was presented under act of Congress, June 20, 1874.

The story of the rescue in which R. Legare Webb, Baltimore attorney, his wife, mother-in-law, Mrs. John E. Perry, and his nephew, Walter Keenan, were blown into the water by an explosion aboard Webb's cruiser was recalled by Father Karr.

The cruiser burst into flame about 200 yards from shore. Capt. Tippett, whose elderly companion fainted as they neared the boat and saw Mrs. Perry enveloped in flames, rowed to the cruiser through gasoline blazing on the creek surface.

"Capt. Tippett's action was one of unquestioned bravery, because any waterman knew that the gas tanks had not exploded and no one could tell at what moment the heat of the burning wreck would explode these gas tanks and imperil the

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Blackmail Cut Profits, Musicas Say

'Coster's' Brothers Begin to Talk as U. S. Agents Prepare To Broaden Probe

By the Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 18.—As Federal officials joined forces today to unravel the tangled trail of the Musica brothers, alleged arch-swindlers, the widow of Philip Musica, known when he was president of McKesson & Robbins as Dr. F. Donald Coster, brought his body with attempted secrecy to a Brooklyn funeral home.

Coster committed suicide Friday in his lavish Fairfield, Conn., home as authorities were about to re-arrest him. Mrs. Coster secluded herself in the funeral home, had her meals sent in to her, and refused to see reporters. Employes of the funeral home also refused to give out any information concerning the funeral plans.

[The funeral services were held privately this afternoon in the home's chapel, the United Press said. It was reported they were attended by about 14 people, who arrived at the home in automobiles bearing Connecticut license plates—Editor's note.]

Brien McMahon, Assistant United States Attorney General, came from Washington for a conference tomorrow of a half-dozen Federal groups probing the web of crime woven under the guiding hand of Coster, alias Musica.

Munitions Trade "Proved"

Gregory F. Noonan, assistant United States attorney, asserted the Government had "conclusive proof" that Coster-Musica had built up an extensive trade in war materials behind the mask of the foreign drug trade of McKesson & Robbins.

Discovery of that link brought the State Department and the Federal Bureau of Investigation into the case to investigate its possible effect on foreign relations.

[The State Department will not be represented at the hearing tomorrow, an official said in Washington, the United Press stated. He said that even though it develops that the drug firm was engaged in the sale of guns and ammunition in violation of the neutrality act, the department would not become involved. The Justice Department would prosecute such violations, it was explained.—Editor's note.]

Three Brothers Exposed

Exposed along with Coster-Musica were his three brothers who also took assumed names as the quartet worked themselves into ranking positions with the drug firm.

The trio—Arthur Musica, alias George Vernard; Robert Musica, alias Robert Dietrich, and George Musica, alias George Dietrich—all are under arrest and in jail in default of $100,000 bail.

While the chances of learning all of the details of the almost incredible swindle engineered by Coster-Musica dwindled with his death, his brothers were reported to have begun to talk, and Federal officials

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Ickes Attacks Recipients of Nazi Honors

Ford and Lindbergh Foreswear Birthright, He Says; Advises Jews To Be Circumspect

By the Associated Press.

Cleveland, Dec. 18.—Secretary Ickes said tonight he felt that any American who accepts a decoration from a dictator "automatically foreswears his American birthright."

"How can any American accept a decoration at the hand of a brutal dictator who, with that same hand, is robbing and torturing thousands of fellow human beings?" the Cabinet member asked.

"Perhaps Henry Ford and Col. Charles A. Lindbergh will be willing to answer. . . . Nor are these the only two free citizens of a free country who obsequiously have accepted tokens of contemptuous distinction at a time when the bestower of them counts that day lost when he can commit no new crime against humanity."

Warns Rich Jews

In an address drafted for a banquet of the Cleveland Zionist Society, Secretary Ickes admonished wealthy Jews "to exercise extreme caution in the acquisition of their wealth and great scrupulousness in their social behavior."

"A mistake made by a non-Jewish millionaire reflects upon him alone, but a false step made by a Jewish man of wealth reflects upon his whole race," he observed.

At the same time, the Interior Secretary, without mentioning names, said he had been "dismayed to hear that the suggestion has come from Jews of wealth that the President should not consider for appointment to the Supreme Court one of the ablest and most outstanding legal statesmen of his generation because that appointment might arouse prejudice against their particular group. Money that is cowardly enough to do this is money that should be cast away."

Upholds Palestine Refuge

"If he did not know it before, the Jew today has learned the bitter lesson that only in a country of free men under democratic institutions is he safe as to his life and secure as to his property."

Ickes said "a great Jew" had advised him "Palestine is capable of absorbing not less than 50,000 Jews a year for several years to come," and added:

"If we cannot find a place in our own country for more than a handful of these hapless and harassed people, perhaps, by our moral and material support, we can help make it possible for them to return to the land of their fathers."

He said he "personally" wished "that the gates of America might be thrown welcomingly wide open to the political refugees of any country," but "we must faithfully carry out the laws of Congress limiting immigration."

Zionists Seek $435,000

A 1939 goal of $435,000 was set for the United Palestine Appeal in the District and five nearby States at a meeting here yesterday of the administrative committee of the Seaboard Zionist Region.

Jewish leaders from Washington, Maryland, Delaware, Virginia and North and South Carolina heard Simon J. Levin, of Baltimore, national field director of the appeal, report that this region had raised $185,000 in 1938, and then voted the sharply increased quota for next year in view of the critical situation of German Jewry.

The Jewish community in Washington, Rabbi Isadore Breslau reported, "is keeping pace with and possibly leading other cities in its alertness to the Palestine appeal."

Stalin Takes Turn as Sentry As Throngs Honor Dead Flier

By Joseph Barnes.
Special Cable to The Post.

Moscow, Dec. 18.—In the presence of Josef V. Stalin, secretary general of the Communist Party; Marshal Klementi Y. Voroshilov, commissar of defense and other Bolshevik leaders, Valery Pavlovich Chkalov, 34, army aviator who was killed in a crash Thursday while testing a new airplane, received a hero's funeral today.

CHKALOV

An urn holding the ashes of the first man to fly over the North Pole to the United States and his three Orders of Lenin were placed in the red-brick wall behind Lenin's Tomb in Red Square, while the cannon of the Kremlin gave a full military salute. It was the first burial in the Kremlin wall since the funeral of Lenin's sister two years ago.

Chkalov, a worker's son who had been a stoker on a Volga River boat when Lenin led the Bolshevik revolution, became a member of the Communist Party only two years ago.

For two days his body lay in state in Moscow's former Nobles Club, where the recent treason trials were held. More than 350,000 persons braved the coldest weather Moscow has seen for several years to file past the coffin. For two days all the nation's leaders, including Stalin, took turns standing as a guard of honor while a band played

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Monroe Doctrine Above Politics, Landon Says

Decries Spread Of Propaganda

ALF M. LANDON

Either Party Would Defend Hemisphere, Lima Is Told; Speech Aimed at Argentine

(Landon's Text—Page 9.)

By the Associated Press.

Lima, Peru, Dec. 18.—In sharp words, Alf M. Landon, Republican Presidential nominee in 1936, told the world tonight the United States, regardless of the party in power in Washington, would "not tolerate any foreign government gaining a foothold on this continent."

In a world-wide broadcast from the Pan-American Conference, the United States delegate declared people of the Americas were "horrified and shocked" by the "incredible brutality" of the world "on both sides of us."

He preceded that declaration with the statement that "unless we in the United States have become so soft that we no longer are concerned as to whether other countries get a foothold in this hemisphere," the time had come to go beyond "mere words and gestures."

Considered A "Bombshell"

The speech was considered by many delegates a bombshell hurled in the rivalry between the United States and the Argentine over the problem of committing the 21 American republics to a strong declaration on solidarity and defense.

[The United States is prepared to fight to the "last ditch" for a conference declaration of continental solidarity that will pledge the 21 American republics to joint resistance against "non-American" aggression, it was reported last night, according to the United Press.]

When Landon said "agents of totalitarian powers are busy spreading propaganda all over Central and South America to the effect those countries cannot count on the continuity of policy of the United States," he answered the Argentine's question: "After Roosevelt, what?"

Lauds Hull's "Wisdom"

He declared the Monroe Doctrine was one policy the United States had pursued "for over a century regardless of election results."

He did not mention the good neighbor policy by name, however, although he gave praise to Secretary of State Hull, whose "wisdom and patience" he said had improved United States relations in South America.

The Argentine has been insisting the United States was a potential threat to small South American nations because there was no assurance the good neighbor policy would be continued after President Roosevelt leaves office.

Because of its emphasis upon the Monroe Doctrine—he declared "this historic policy is not going to be changed no matter what party is in power"—delegates considered the speech would be particularly distasteful to the Argentine, which dislikes the doctrine.

Always conscious of the United States' size and power, the Argentine has made a valiant fight at this conference to take the lead in most important deliberations, and many delegates believed she had largely succeeded in the most important matter of all, the question of continental solidarity.

Argentine Opposes Pacts

She has insisted that no definite pacts be signed for mutual defense and that no specific condemnation of possible "outside aggression" be made in a conference declaration.

Landon's frankness gladdened the hearts of some heads of delegations of small countries who have criticized the United States policy of great patience and willingness to give way to the Argentine on these points.

Before Landon spoke, one head of a small but important delegation expressed disappointment in the

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Pittman Says U.S. Will Guard CitizensAbroad

Lauds Landon Talk; Bristol Raps 'Sniping' At Other Governments

Senator Pittman (Democrat), of Nevada, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, last night praised the address of Alf M. Landon at the Pan-American Conference in Lima, and added a warning that no country should "make the mistake that the democracy of the United States and the liberty and rights of its citizens will not be protected throughout the world regardless of cost, either physical or financial."

His forceful statement was so worded that it might be applied specifically to Germany, which the United States is insisting shall exempt American citizens from recent repressive decrees, or Japan, which is threatening to close the "open door" in China to Americans and other foreigners.

At the same time, Sumner Welles, acting Secretary of State, while congratulating personnel of the United States Foreign Service on its record in meeting severe tests in the past year, warned that the future may bring need for even greater stamina. His address was one of a series of Christmas greetings to Americans abroad from Administration leaders, transmitted by the Mutual Broadcasting Co.

It coincided with the release by Rear Adm. Mark L. Bristol, retired, of a statement in which he advocated a program embodying fair dealings in international relations and maintenance of an ade-

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Bandits Disrobe 90 Men, Get $10,000 In Exclusive Club

Pittsburgh, Dec. 18 (AP).—Three youthful gunmen forced some 90 men to remove their trousers and rifled them of between $10,000 and $30,000 in a holdup at the exclusive Beacon Club early today. One of the victims fainted.

The handkerchief-masked gunmen apparently became unnerved and fled in a waiting automobile when a telephone started ringing.

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Over the Coffee

By Harlan Miller

CAPITAL CAVIAR: Snowed under by farm problems, Henry Wallace has had an excellent excuse for ducking swank receptions, where he has been ably represented by the beauteous Ilo Wallace . . Defeated Congressmen have hundreds of dollars worth of books borrowed from the Congressional Library which they'll probably never return. (So have victorious Congressmen.)

Eden . . . misjudged

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Maury Maverick, banished caliph of the Young Turks, was in a pessimistic mood when he dropped in at the Trust Busters inquiry. A friend asked him when he was returning to the Capital.

"Why come back?" he asked. "This town drives a man to drink and suicide."

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DIPLOMATIC DODOES: Ministers and ambassadors rarely eat a snack at each other's receptions . . . All dressed up for a party, some of the diplomats remind me of Midwestern bankers in their Sunday suits . . . A First Secretary who belongs to two book clubs complains over his salmon en gelee that as he yearns to understand the world in turmoil one book club sends him as its December book "Count Belisarius" (A. D. 527) and the other "Leonardo da Vinci" (1452). (These may help as much as anything.)

"—protector of womanhood"

Some of the flying squad of veteran butlers whose faces become familiar as they pass you food and drink at the Capital's great houses have a deep-rooted chivalry about them.

They don't like to see a lady get buffy. So they mix weak drinks for the femmes, strong ones for the males. One fair guest was amazed when a butler firmly snatched from her hands a highball her husband had just handed her off a tray and gave her another.

"That's a gentleman's drink," he said. "This one is right for a lady."

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PAJAMA PORTRAITS

American Viceroy

If this Republic were as much on the make as some, Ernest Gruening, who runs our territories and islands, would be a stormy petrel always yelling for more islands and peninsulas belonging to other lands.

As things are, he sits serenely at the Interior Building, one of the few in Washington who remembers 24 hours a day that Puerto Ricans and Hawaiians are also Americans. A robust, amiable intellectual, he once suggested birth control as the only salvation for jam-packed Puerto Rico, forgetting momentarily that the island is Catholic. He was quickly reminded.

He is the uncle of the Good Neighbor policy; but for him we might still have Marines under the palm trees of several small but vastly indignant countries. After Harvard gave him his M. D. he became a journalist without really dropping the scalpel.

He is the only man alive who has been an editor of the conservative New York Herald Tribune, the ultra-liberal Nation and the liberal New York Post. As a colonial administrator he's a rare bird. He'd rather meditate on turning loose old colonies than annexing new ones.

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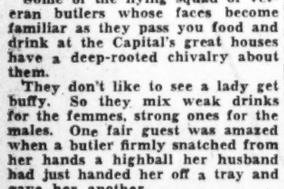
GILT OFF THE DOME: Occasionally a visiting Iowan marvels (with a shade of superiority) that the dome of the National Capitol isn't gilded, as is the dome of the Iowa capitol . . . Several newly elected Congressmen have slipped into town to try out their seats, wangle desirable offices and sip a spoonful of future glory.



"—diplomat with 7 tubs"

Demetrios Sicilianos, the bachelor diplomat from Greece, glories in a house with seven bathtubs—a different one for each day of the week; or several for Saturday evening.

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After a week-end of animated discussion, the ladies of the Capital agree that Anthony Eden's photographs have done him an injustice; they made him out more beautiful, less manly than he is.

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Eden's two young secretaries caused a little astonishment; though they look like college sophomores, one is a viscount and one a baronet—addressed as Sir. This explodes the belief current here that a viscount must have a paunch and a baronet must be over 50.

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Girls' Training School Costs Show Decrease

The average cost of keeping one inmate per day at the National Training School for Girls was $1.80 in November compared to $3.24 the same month last year, Miss Anne O. Andruss, superintendent, reported to the Board of Public Welfare yesterday.

Average daily population was 68 compared with 45 during the same month the previous year.

To Sing at Y.M.C.A.

FLEURETTE JOFFRIE, opera soprano, who will sing at the annual New Year's open house at the Central Y. M. C. A. January 2. Edwin L. Rogers, barytone soloist, the Conklin Orchestra and the Sentinel Quartet also will appear on the program

Pittman Says U.S. Will Guard Citizens Abroad

Pittman

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quate Navy and Army, but warned against "underhanded sniping at foreign governments."

Senator Pittman praised what he called Landon's "frank and able" Lima address as "typical of American character" and "imbued with that patriotism that marks our citizens when dealing with all vital questions, particularly with regard to our neighbors' problems."

"There was neither subterfuge nor fear in his statements," Pittman added.

He also praised Secretary of State Hull, leader of the United States delegation at Lima, who, he said "has been extremely frank and sincere."

Of the Monroe Doctrine, he said: "We have a fear for the future of democracy, not in the United States, but in the homes of our neighbors. We would like to aid but we cannot aid unless they seek it . . . There might have been in years past grounds for suspicion as to the motives of the United States. There is no excuse for such suspicion now."

Welles said in his address:

"The past year has tested the American foreign service as it has never been tested before, and, therefore, in simple justice, my first words to the members of the service—officers, clerks and employes of all groups—must be of warmest congratulation. Whether the demand has been for conspicuous and extraordinary service or for the carrying on of an essential routine under exceptionally trying conditions and without any possibility of public acclaim, the demand has been met and more than met. The foreign service is entitled to feel proud of its record during the past 12 months.

Must "Cope With Emergencies"

"No group of public servants, irrespective of whether its field of activity lies at home or abroad, can afford nowadays to rest upon its laurels. The thought of the future, with all of its uncertainties, must be kept constantly in our minds. If the foreign service has shown stamina in the face of past emergencies, an even greater degree of stamina may well be required in the future. If confronted with new problems—political, economic or social—it must solve them on the basis of new knowledge and new understanding; it must develop an ability to cope with emergencies and yet always keep intact and give expression to a deeply felt sympathy with human suffering."

In addition to Welles' address, the international program included greetings to Americans abroad by Postmaster General Farley, Secretary of War Woodring, Admiral William D. Leahy, chief of naval operations; Rear Admiral Emory S. Land, chairman of the U. S. Maritime Commission; Rear Admiral Russell R. Waesche, Coast Guard commandant; Dick Merrill, transatlantic flier, and Walter S. Gifford, president of the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. Mrs. Roosevelt was to have spoken on the program but was forced to cancel her engagement.

Admiral Bristol's statement was his first in his capacity as president of the 110-year-old American Peace Society. In it, he held that "a reputation for dealing fairly in all international matters, supported by an army and navy that can fend for themselves, is the best guarantee of peace our Nation can possess."

"The doctrine of collective security is as fallacious as the idea of voluntarily disarming to set a peaceful example to the rest of the world," he asserted.

"This country is sufficiently strong to pursue an independent course, a course marked by justice and fair play, and which, therefore, would not need to rely upon the whim of some ethereal ally."

Until world affairs become more settled, Admiral Bristol said, the United States cannot afford to let up on maintenance of the Army and Navy.

"At the same time," he continued, "we must set a course calculated to win the amity, confidence and respect of all nations. Underhanded sniping at foreign governments and constant criticism of their policies, when we have no attractive alternative to offer and are unwilling to effect a compromise, serves but to wear threadbare the cloak of international friendship."

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Ickes Urges Curb on Waste Of Resources

Cites National Defense Needs to President, In Annual Report

Secretary Ickes recommended legislation yesterday which he said would open the way for the Government to check over-production and waste of mineral resources vital to the national defense.

In his annual report to the President, the Interior Secretary said the Bureau of Mines reported to him that a factor contributing to the waste of mineral resources was "unrestrained production that results in stock piles that frequently deteriorate before they are used."

"A way would be opened to enable the Government to check this over-production," Ickes told the President, "if we could determine the Nation's requirements of the principal minerals.

"I am in favor of legislation which will permit this department to make this determination in the interests of national defense as well as in the interests of conservation of natural resources."

Urges Change in Name

Ickes renewed his recommendations that the name of the Interior Department be changed to that of Department of Conservation. He long has contended that conservation is the real function of the department and that it is improperly named.

The Secretary urged that Congress consider a policy as to private concesions in national parks.

His own view, he said, was that the providing of accommodations to park visitors through private corporations "in many instances has not worked out satisfactorily."

He reported attendance at national parks reached an all-time high of 16,233,688 during the year.

Ickes said the Government's helium plant at Amarillo, Tex., produced 6,100,000 cubic feet of helium during the 1938 fiscal year, an increase of 1,300,000 cubic feet over the previous year. (The United States has a virtual monopoly on this non-inflammable gas which is used as a safe lifting agent for airships.)

Cites German Request

"This production," Ickes told the President, "was only about one-third of the quantity which a foreign country (Germany) desired under the terms of the amended helium act which permitted export of the non-inflammable gas.

"No helium was exported because the Secretary was not persuaded that the supply sought was not of military importance as described in the act."

(Germany asked the gas for use in the new commercial dirigible LZ-130, successor to the Hindenburg, which was destroyed by a hydrogen gas explosion over Lakehurst, N. J.)

Helium-oxygen mixtures now are available in all parts of this country, Ickes said, for the treatment of respiratory diseases.

He cited as "in the realm of true conservation" the Interior Department's court victory declaring the Government owner of valuable oil and mineral lands in the Elk Hills oil fields of California. Previously private companies had operated leases there on authority of the State of California.

Accident Rate Lower

The Secretary reported that the accident rate in mining had been much lower during the last five years than in any other period for which statistics were available. He gave credit for much of this to the fact that the Bureau of Mines had trained 1,146,854 persons in mine safety courses.

Taking advantage of larger responsibilities for self government, under the Indian reorganization act of 1934, Ickes said, 82 Indian tribes now are operating under constitutions and by-laws.

Of this number, 57 tribes were incorporated under Federal charters. With the Indians increasing at twice the rate of the population as a whole, Indian land areas at the end of the fiscal year had increased from 49,000,000 acres in 1933 to 51,540,307 acres, he reported.

Defeat of U. S. Tobacco Quotas May Force Farm Law Change

Some Congressmen Predict End of Federal Control; Others Point to Cotton Landslide, Declare Only Need Now Is Revision

By the Associated Press.

Farmer rejection of New Deal marketing controls for next year's burley and dark-type tobacco crops led many members of Congress to predict yesterday that the present farm law would be changed.

The tobacco marketing quotas were rejected in voting conducted among the growers Saturday. Their defeat gave the Agriculture Department a score of four losses and one victory in referenda on 1939 crops. In similar elections conducted the preceding Saturday, growers of flue-cured tobacco and rice rejected quotas and cotton farmers approved them.

Congressional leaders generally agreed that the referenda would have a strong influence on the new Congress, but opinion varied as to what action would be taken.

Senator Borah (Republican), of Idaho, declared the quota rejections had helped sound the death knell for the Administration's theory that farm prices and income can best be maintained at fair levels by governmental control of production and marketing when price-depressing supplies accumulate.

This view was taken generally also by Congressmen who favor so-called "domestic allotment" and "two-price" farm policies which would permit unlimited production, with the Government guaranteeing prices of the domestically consumed portion of the crops and selling the surplus abroad at whatever price it would bring.

Such Administration supporters as Chairman Jones (Democrat), Texas, of the House Agriculture Committee, and Representative Fulmer (Democrat), South Carolina, a member of that committee, contended, on the other hand, that production control was here to stay, and that defeat of the quotas would lead to legislation designed to eliminate objections farmers have raised.

More Cotton Growers

Administration farm officials, contending the cotton victory overshadowed the tobacco losses, pointed out that cotton far exceeds tobacco and rice combined in acreage, income and in the number of farmers engaged in its production.

R. M. Evans, agricultural adjustment administrator, said he believed tobacco farmers were influenced in their voting by good prices this season.

"From the standpoint of prices and surpluses they are in pretty fair shape," he said. "They decided the voluntary control program was all that is needed. Maybe they are judging the situation better than we at the department."

Virtually complete returns from Saturday's referenda were:

Burley—For quotas, 121,775; against, 75,501; per cent in favor, 61.2.

Dark type—For quotas, 24,250; against, 15,846; per cent in favor, 60.5.

In each referendum,a two-thirds vote was required by law to put the control program into operation.

Total of 24% Oppose Quotas

On the previous Saturday, growers gave flue-cured tobacco quotas a majority of 56.9 per cent and cotton quotas a majority of 84 per cent. A minority of 4.4 per cent favored rice quotas.

Farm officials pointed out that of the 1,602,737 farmer votes tabulated in the five elections, only 374,035, or about 24 per cent, were negative.

Representative Fulmer attributed many antiquota votes to tobacco farmer dissatisfaction with the farm law's method of determining individual marketing shares. The law provides for acreage planting allotments and marketing quotas, fixed in pounds. Many growers who complied with their acreage allotments found, he said, that they were not free to sell all the tobacco they produced on those allotments unless they paid penalty taxes for overmarketing.

Would Alter Law

He suggested the law be changed to permit growers, when quotas are invoked, to sell all they produce on their acreage allotments. This policy is used in the case of cotton.

One phase of the tobacco program will continue to operate, farm officials said. Under it, tobacco growers will be assigned acreage allotments and only those who comply with them will be eligible for Government benefit payments, at the rate of 0.8 cents a pound for burley and flue-cured and 1.4 cents a pound for dark type.

Model Plane Flies 4 Miles to Sea Lands on Liner

Special Dispatch to The Post

New York, Dec. 18.—A radio message received today from the liner Niew Amsteradm, which sailed Saturday for Rio de Janiero, said that Saturday afternoon a model airplane had struck the foremast of the ship 4 miles off Sandy Hook.

Officials of model airplane clubs in this vicinity reported they know of no model planes which were missing. The typical model plane powered with a small gasoline engine carries about an ounce of fuel, enough to keep the engine running 20 minutes or more. Small planes can climb out of sight under power and, if weather conditions are right, can glide for miles.

Duke Vladimir Proclaimed Czar By Paris Emigres

Paris, Dec. 18 (AP).—The White Russian colony here formally recognized Grand Duke Vladimir today as Czar in a ceremony proclaiming him as rightful claimant to the toppled throne of all the Russias.

Almost 5,000 former aristocrats, officers and soldiers of Imperial Russia who fled into exile at the advent of the Soviet regime, thronged a public hall near the war ministry to pay homage to the 21-year-old pretender.

Turkey and U. S. Initial Trade Pact

Ankara, Turkey, Dec. 18 (AP).—A draft of a commercial agreement between Turkey and the United States was initialed here today, subject to approval by both countries.

The agreement is based on treatment on a most-favored nation basis, payment in free foreign exchange and on reciprocal tariff deductions. It provides for no clearing arrangements.

Officials expected it would be signed next month.

C. I. O. Argues Against Change In Labor Law

Pamphlets Opposing Wagner Act Amendment Sent to Congressmen

The Congress of Industrial Organizations announced yesterday it had sent to every member of Congress its pamphlet, "Why the Wagner Act Should Not be Amended."

Along with the pamphlet, C. I. O. officials said, went copies of a C. I. O. convention resolution expressing opposition without qualification to any change in the text of the national labor relations act.

Lee Pressman, C. I. O. general counsel, said the National Association of Manufacturers, the Chamber of Commerce of the United States and the American Federation of Labor "have joined hands in a drive to force amendments" to the act in the next Congress.

"The purpose of these amendments," Pressman said, "is to cripple the act and make it useless to organized labor."

In another statement Pressman said that with the opening of hearings today before the Social Security Board "on the effect of the Oregon antilabor initiative on the State unemployment compensation law, and with the filing of a lawsuit in the Oregon State courts to test the constitutionality of the antilabor initiative, the C. I. O. is beginning its fight against this measure, passed at the recent State elections."

At the hearings the C. I. O. will take the position that employers in the State of Oregon must now pay the full amount of both the State and Federal taxes" as a result of their reactionary attempt to suppress the rights of organized labor," he said.

The statement added, however, that any action of the Social Security Board in disapproving the Oregon unemployment compensation law will not affect the rights of workers in Oregon to the benefits under this law and whether the Oregon unemployment compensation system is to continue will depend entirely upon the State Legislature which has sufficient power to authorize the funds necessary to defray administrative expenses, formerly defrayed by Federal grants.

Baltic Christmas Customs Described

Christmas customs of Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia and Finland were described at the meeting of the Baltic-American Society executive committee yesterday in International Students House, 1708 New Hampshire avenue northwest.

Mrs. Ruth Beckman, former European Red Cross worker; Miss Alexandra Meyendorff and August Nikula were the speakers.

Members heard a talk by Sasha Siemel, of Lativia, who has just returned from South America, where he hunted tigers with a spear. Seimel was the guest of Dr. Alfred Bilmanis, Latvian Minister.

McNary Opposes Senate Vote On Third Term for Roosevelt

By the Associated Press.

Senator McNary, of Oregon, Republican leader, said yesterday he would oppose any proposal to put the Senate on record against a third term for President Roosevelt.

The Westerner said he did not believe any President should seek a third term, but added that he considered it "ill-advised, ill-mannered and wholly beyond the function of the Senate to express itself on the question."

Senator Holt (Democrat), of West Virginia, announced recently he would offer a resolution condemning a third term.

In 1928 the Senate voted, 56-26, for a resolution by Senator La Follette (Progressive), of Wisconsin, which said that retirement of Presidents after their second term had become a part of the United States' republican form of government "by universal concurrence."

In addition to McNary, Senator Walsh (Democrat), of Massachusetts, is the only incumbent who voted against the La Follette resolution. Several Democrats now in the Senate, including a number of strong Administration supporters, voted for it, however.

McNary said he expected most of the other Republicans would vote for the Holt resolution.

Most of the Republican members of the Senate have expressed their opposition to a third term for the President.

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Mrs. Roosevelt At Show With Child Cripples

175 Youngsters Awed As First Lady Takes Seat in Audience Here

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt yesterday told 175 of Washington's crippled children it was her "fondest hope to see the new year become the happiest yet for all of you," at the annual Christmas party given the youngsters by the Kiwanis Club. She expressed keen interest in physically handicapped children.

The First Lady, who was guest of honor, arrived during a "magic act" by one of the youthful entertainers, made her way down the darkened aisle and took a seat among wide-eyed youngsters in the auditorium of Roosevelt High School, Thirteenth and Upshur streets northwest.

The entertainment program, with children with strong legs as entertainers, was Mrs. Roosevelt's own idea, Edward S. Pardoe, president of the club, said in introducing her.

"Just the Beginning"

"I don't mean to interrupt your fun here," Mrs. Roosevelt said. "I just want to say, in reference to children entertaining grown-ups, that after our Thanksgiving dinner at Warm Springs, Ga., all the patients there put on a splendid program such as you are seeing here.

"I hope this is just the beginning of the merriest Christmas for you all."

And for most of them it was, for each crippled youngster was given the two things he or she has wanted most during the past year, Pardoe explained that nurses visited the children at the Langdon School for Crippled Children, at their homes and in hospital clinics a month ago to ask them to write down their first and second choices of Christmas presents.

Girl, 14, Wants to Hear Eddy

The gifts, distributed by Santa Claus, in the person of William Schmucker, a Kiwanian, ranged from a ticket to Nelson Eddy's concert next April to a "cowboy guitar."

Mildred Petrey, 14, of 3822 Fifth street northwest, wanted the concert ticket more than anything she could think of, and Elmer Miller, 10, of 1226 Montello avenue northeast wanted the guitar. He plays in his school orchestra and was going to be eliminated because he didn't have an instrument.

Other requests included left-handed baseball glove, victrola records, sleds and the usual amounts of dolls and toys.

Clark Griffith, president of the Washington Baseball Club, who shared the guest spotlight with Mrs. Roosevelt, told the youngsters he was going to have "plenty of reserved seats for you out at the ball park next spring."

100 Gifts for Colored

In wheel chairs, on crutches or leaning on the arms of parents or friends, the children arrived at the party, which marked the twenty-third year that the Kiwanis Club has been entertaining them. Most of the youngsters' parents are too hard-pressed to provide visits from Santa Claus for them. Their ages ranged from 2 to 17 years.

Individual members of the Kiwanis each year furnish transportation for one or more of the children. Some have been taking the same youngster for ten years.

The party yesterday included music, dancing, singing, comedy acts, motion pictures and refreshments in the school cafeteria. After the party 100 presents were distributed to crippled colored children in the District.

The committee in charge included William E. Davis, general chairman; and Maurice R. Palmer, Alfred E. Earnest, James A. Soper, Harold C. Patterson, Samuel Blick, Maj. Ernest W. Brown and Dudley Burgess.

Roosevelt Urges Fellow Scouts to Aid Unfortunate

President Roosevelt last night called upon America's 1,225,000 Boy Scouts to do good deeds for those "less fortunate than ourselves," in Christmas greeting to his fellow Scouts. Honorary president of the Boy Scouts of America, Mr. Roosevelt has been active in the organization for 17 years.

The message, received by Dr. James E. West, chief Scout executive follows:

"As a member of the Boy Scouts of America, I am happy to extend to fellow members my sincere best wishes for a Merry Christmas. This is a time in which it seems particularly appropriate for all of us to do a good deed for some other person, especially for someone who is less fortunate than ourselves.

"To Boy Scouts who are steadfast in the principles emphasized by their organization I look for future leadership in community and national life. May the year 1939 be a happy adventure for you in the service of others."

Rehearsing for Silver Spring Lions Christmas Play

Members of the cast of the play "Dress Rehearsal," to be given by the Silver Spring Lions Club today and tomorrow to raise funds for Christmas baskets for the needy, at Takoma-Silver Spring Junior High School. At top—the male chorus (left to right), Tim Dodson, Charles Krueger, James W. Gill, John C. Livingston, William Kettler and Joseph D. Buscher. Below (left to right)—Hattie Crockett, Jacqueline Hood and Jenny Meiners

Mary Brown's Kidnaping to Be Reviewed

Search Halted for Man Who Tried to Assault Officer's Wife

The report of Dr. Richard Rosenberg, deputy coroner, upon his examination of Mary Brown, whose kidnaping at Oxon Hill, Md., has stumped police, will be studied by Maryland State police and Prince Georges County police today or tomorrow, along with details of the entire case from the time of the girl's disappearance, it was revealed last night.

Taking time out from the search for a colored man who early Saturday attempted to criminally assault the wife of a District policeman near the scene of the kidnap case, Lieut. A. W. Hepburn, superintendent of Prince Georges County police, said he would confer with Col. Elmer F. Munshower, superintendent of State police, at the Waldorf, Md., substantion on the Mary Brown kidnaping.

Dr. Rosenberg examined the young convent student at request of Maryland police.

Meanwhile, search for the colored man wanted in connection with the attack was at a standstill last night after two days of combing the Oxon Hill-Silver Hill, Md., area. Two District policemen, John F. Denton and Thomas Sweeney, have been assisting Hepburn in the search, he said, but no trace of the man has been found.

Thomas Cramer, 70, of Eleventh and W streets northwest, uncle of Mary Brown, suffered a heart attack Saturday night at the Strand Theater, Ninth and D streets northwest. He was treated at Emergency Hospital and sent home yesterday.

Memphis Girl Wins Wildlife Poster Award

Josephine Marie Bradshaw, of Memphis, has been awarded first prize in the National Wildlife Week poster contest from over 500 entries submitted by art students of the Nation, it was announced yesterday by the judges' committee, composed of distinguished wildlife artists.

The poster will be used to advertise the second National Wildlife Restoration Week, to be proclaimed by the President March 19, 1939.

Nearby Maryland Clubwomen Come to Rescue of 'Tent Family'

Jobless Mechanic, Wife and 6 Children Moved To 4-Room House, Rent Paid for 2 Months; Youngsters Now Will Get Proper Diet

A far rosier outlook for Christmas than they had hoped for was provided yesterday for Clenny Smith, unemployed mechanic, and his family of seven, who for the last three months have lived in a small tent on the bank of a stream near Cheverly, Md., trying to eke out a living without seeking charity.

The Smiths, whose plight was described in The Post yesterday, were moved from the flimsy tent late in the afternoon to a four-room frame house on River road, an extension of Kenilworth avenue northeast.

The Cheverly Women's Club and the Hyattsville Women's Community Club, which early last week became interested in the efforts of Smith to support his family by picking up junk on the streets of Washington and selling it, located the home for the Smiths.

A job, clothing for the six small children and bedding are now the main needs of the Smiths, said Mrs. Henry Naylor, president of the Prince Georges County Federation of Women's Clubs.

Arrangements have been made to furnish four quarts of milk and a quart of cod liver oil a day for the children, the youngest of whom is suffering a disease due to faulty diet, she added. Rent on the new house has been paid for two months, and plans have been made to present the Smiths with a large Christmas basket.

Brig. Gen. Vanderbilt Leaves N. Y. Hospital

New York, Dec. 18 (AP).—Brig. Gen. Cornelius Vanderbilt last night left Doctors' Hospital, where he had been "under observation" since his return from a Caribbean cruise Decmeber 5. Sixty-five-years-old, he had made the trip for his health.

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Archbishop Cicognani Dedicates Memorial To Cardinal Bonzano

While the congregation assembled for the silver jubilee celebration of Holy Rosary Catholic Church, Archbishop A. C. Cicognani, apostolic delegate, yesterday blessed and dedicated a memorial tablet to the late Giovanni Cardinal Bonzano, his predecessor and cofounder of the parish.

Later in the day, the Rev. Nicholas de Carlo, rector of Holy Rosary since its founding, joined his parishioners in dedicating the recently completed parish hall, which adjoints the church at Third and F streets northwest.

Solemn high mass marked the earlier service, when Archbishop Cicognani, in a brief message, lauded the memory of Cardinal Bonzano, apostolic delegate from 1911 to 1922, and who, he pointed out, was "an inspiration for the congregation to carry on their noble work."

It was through the efforts of the late Cardinal and the Rev. De Carlo that the parish was formed in 1913, he said, after a year in temporary quarters at 83 H street northwest. Services were held at Third and I streets northwest until 1919, when the present building was started. Cardinal Gibbons laid the cornerstone the same year.

Participating priests at the morning service were the Rev. Gino Paro, Catholic University, and Mgrs. Joseph McShea and Egidio Vagnozzi.

The tablet, in the rear of the church, was executed in Italy by Prof. Antonio Bozzano. Cross-shaped and of pure Carrara marble, it displays the semibust of the Cardinal in bas-relief as a medallion.

Physics Society to Meet Here With Science Teachers Dec. 27

Sessions to Parallel Gathering Of American Association Group at Richmond; Telephone Official to Speak

Plans were announced yesterday for the annual meeting here December 27-31 of the American Physical Society and the American Association of Physics Teachers. Sessions will be held at the Bureau of Standards and the Wardman Park Hotel.

Ordinarily the two societies assemble in conjunction with the American Association for the Advancement of Science, which meets at Richmond, Va., December 27-31. This year, however, arrangements could not be made for the physicists to gather in Richmond.

High lights of the Washington meeting will be the annual dinner December 28, when Dr. Harvey Fletcher, of the Bell Telephone Laboratories, will speak on "Auditory Patterns," and a lecture on the night of December 29 by Prof. P. W. Bridgman, of Harvard University, on "Society and the Intelligent Physicist."

Many Washington scientists are scheduled to lecture and present research findings at the A. A. A. S. conclave in Richmond. Among them are Dr. John Swanton, of the Smithsonian Institution; Dr. Herbert Calvery, of the Food and Drug Administration; Prof. S. H. Britt, of George Washington University, and Dr. William M. Mann, director of the National Zoological Park.

Women Lawyers Urged to Study to Get Ahead of Men

Although prejudice against them has decreased, women attorneys still "stand on trial" when trying cases in court, was the opinion offered by Mrs. Helen Sherry Rhoade, Washington attorney and clubwoman, in a talk yesterday at the annual tea of Xi Chapter, Iota Tau Tau, national legal sorority, at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Mrs. Rhoade warned sorority members and first-year law students of National University, who were guests, that women attorneys must do tremendous amounts of research in preparing cases in order to be "a little bit ahead of the men." However, she added, there is less bias against women lawyers in America than in England.

Son of Arsonist Confesses Fires Totaling $2,000,000

Escanaba, Mich., Dec. 18 (U.P.).—Alfred Rigual, 52, who said he was descended from a long line of pyromaniacs, confessed tonight he set 12 fires causing damage of nearly $2,000,000.

Among the fires which Rigual, Soo Hill WPA worker, confessed starting was that which destroyed St. Mary's Catholic Church at Iron Mountain two months ago.

Sheriff William Miron said Rigual signed a statement admitting responsibility for a $1,000,000 fire at the J. W. Wells lumber yard at Menominee in 1931 and for ten smaller fires. "My father hanged himself in a Paris jail while awaiting trial for arson," Rigual was quoted as saying.

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United States' failure to take a strong hand.

"If the United States would only come forward with one strong statement, we could get somewhere," he said. "This is not an old ladies conference. It is a conference where strong men are needed."

Tonight the hallways and lobbies of hotels buzzed with discussion of Landon's talk. It was generally agreed that while it was the speech of an individual outside the conference hall, it would have a definite effect on the conference itself.

A few hours later Isidoro Ruiz Moreno, chairman of the Argentine delegation, who, it was understood, had been expecting instructions from his government at home in view of the apparent siding of virtually all the other American nations with the United States' viewpoint, told the Associated Press "we will have an agreement in one or two days."

Confident of Agreement

"We already have smoothed out some differences and I am sure a complete accord will be reached," he said.

He did not deny that one of the differences still existing concerned specific mention of "outside aggression" but said there were other differences. One of the difficulties, he let it be understood, was the manner in which the solidarity of the American nations could be invoked when "non-American forms of government" are installed in America.

After four hours of indecisive conferences yesterday on the Argentinian and United States points of view against aggression, a skeleton Brazilian project was selected tentatively as a compromise. The delegations will seek this week to write it in language acceptable to all.

The Argentine delegation was reported by some quarters to be considerably impressed with the unanimity with which the other nations were supporting Hull's determination to get a strong declaration.

Even Uruguay, which usually sides with the Argentine, favored the United States' resolution calling for defense against foreign aggression at last night's meeting, it was learned.

Uruguay Backs U. S.

When Ruiz Moreno objected that the proposal had political aspects, the Uruguayan, Pedro Manini Rios, retorted that this was precisely one of its values because it would serve as a warning to foreign nations having expansionist ideas in South America.

To non-American nations Landon addressed the warning that "we Americans have had our family disputes and may continue to have them, but let me say that anyone would be making a great blunder to mistake differences for disunity, for in the end we will always unite against any outside aggressor."

Recalling the writing of the Monroe Doctrine 115 years ago, Landon declared:

"Never for one moment since have we faltered in that doctrine. This historic policy is not going to be changed no matter what party is in power. I know that in saying this I speak for Republicans as well as Democrats. Because at home in this matter there is not and will not be any party division."

Assails "Tyranies, Brutalities"

The Western Hemisphere, Landon said, is "facing a world which on both sides of us is growing harder and more brutal every day."

Americans, he said, "have nothing in common with these tyrannies."

"We are horrified and shocked by their incredible brutality," he declared. "We reject the philosophy of these Fascist, Nazi and Communist powers as alien to everything we prize and stand for—to our hopes and ideals for justice and tolerance."

Landon described the conference as being more than a peace conferference and as "deeply interested in the matter of mutual defense should that become necessary."

He said the conferees were engaged in perfecting a "loose and flexible working organization for two purposes: First, to safeguard peace between us; and, second, to enable us to consult with each other on any matter of common interest."

Organization, he added, "would increase our security in the maintenance of the principles of democracy which, now more than ever, the American republics must be prepared to uphold."

THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT

When Congress convenes in January, one of the major topics to come up for debate will be the National Labor Relations Act. If you had read The Gallup Poll in The Post on November 13th, you would know how the public feels toward changing or repealing this much-discussed issue.

You cannot keep informed on shifting trends of American opinion if you do not read the Gallup Polls. You cannot read the Gallup Polls in Washington unless you are a daily and Sunday subscriber to The Washington Post.

Chesapeake Bay Fisherman Given Medal for Rescue

CAPT. W. T. TIPPETT,

Medal

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lives of both rescued and rescuers," Father Karr said.

Capt. Tippett, however, was able to get Mrs. Webb, Mrs. Perry and Keenan aboard the skiff. Webb was able to hang on a board the 30-year-old captain pointed out until a power boat arrived from shore. Mrs. Perry died from burns suffered in the rescue, which took place July 3 of this year.

"And may I add a word as speaking for you, which in no way detracts from the honor which is yours," Father Karr told Capt. Tippett.

"I know you would want me to say that what you did on that occasion you feel and believe that anyone of our splendid group of fishing captains and guides would and will do should any similar unfortunate emergency arise.

"With that all of us agree and are glad to unanimously join in a splendid tribute through you to all our men who go down to the sea in ships."

Moscow Throngs Honor Polar Flier

Moscow

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the revolutionary funeral march.

The weather has been so cold that bonfires were started at street corners to warm the citizens waiting in line to pay their last respects to the dead flier.

Again today, with the mercury at 20 degrees below zero, hundreds of thousands turned out for the final ceremonies.

As chief pilot, with three other aviators, Chkalov made a 5,400-mile nonstop flight from Moscow to Vancouver, Wash., in 63 hours, ending July 13, 1937. They returned via Washington, D. C.

From the unprecedented tribute and from telegrams still pouring into Moscow from every part of the country, it is clear that Chkalov had become a symbol of the revolution's promise and energy.

Not a single detail of the fatal crash has been made public here, but newspapers have been printing stories about him by workers, fliers and soldiers almost to the exclusion of everything else.

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German Spy Film Brings Nazi Threat

Los Angeles, Dec. 18 (AP).—Dr. Georg Gyssling, German consul, said last night he had advised the Will Hays office "there may be trouble ahead" if Warner Brothers produce a picture involving a Nazi spy.

Work on "Confessions of a Nazi Spy" is under way at the Warner studio.

Dr. Gyssling said Germany may bar all future productions of any studio if it exhibits a picture which "conflicts with German interests."

Duce Dedicates Sardinia Mine, Silent on Tunis

Island Development Aimed at Increasing Fascist Self-Sufficiency

By the Associated Press.

Carbonia, Sardinia, Dec. 18.—Premier Mussolini dedicated this new, model coal-mining community today in southern Sardinia where, he recalled, only 12 months ago there were neither men, roads nor water—only solitude and malaria.

He acclaimed the development of Italy's long-abandoned coal deposits in Sardinia as another step in the nation's self-sufficiency drive, as "the proud and indomitable will of fascism."

Carbonia—which means "coal town"—is the newest Italian town and today has 12,000 inhabitants. In a short time, Il Duce said, its population will be doubled.

"Under the stimulus of autarchy," he declared before a cheering crowd of miners and Blackshirts attending the inauguration, "This old faithful and for too long forgotten soil of Sardinia reveals its treasures.

"Shall we call it a miracle?"

"Yes! Yes!" responded the crowd and Mussolini replied:

"Let us say, rather, the proud and indomitable will of fascism."

"Yours!" shouted back the crowd.

(Sardinia, Mediterranean island 115 miles from the Italian mainland, has been celebrated since ancient times for the wealth of its minerals.

(Italy in 1937 imported coal valued at 1,728,000,000 lire—$90,892,800—in addition to her own production of 953,695 short tons of black coal and 1,014,710 short tons of lignite.)

Though Sardinia recently was the scene of demonstrations in the Italian agitation over the neighboring French island of Corsica and other French territory no such note was injected into Italy's celebration.

Soviets Lead World in Subs, Janes Reveals

Most of 134 Undersea Raiders at Vladivostok, Navy Handbook Claims

By the United Press.

London, Dec. 18.—The 1939 edition of "Janes Fig ting Ships," the world's most authoritative naval handbook, has revealed that Soviet Russia boasts the world's most formidable submarine fleet, of which more than half is based at Vladivostok, within easy striking distance of Japan.

Soviet Russia plans to build three 35,000-ton capital ships mounting nine 16-inch guns, also, Janes said adding:

"Although it has been reported that the first ship, to be named the Tretii International, will be laid down in Leningrad in 1939, and that guns, armor, and boilers have been ordered abroad, there is no reliable information on the subject."

The Soviets possess at least 134 and probably more submarines—more than any other nation—the yearbook states, and 30 others are under construction.

"Reports from Japanese sources indicate that the Soviet fleet based at Vladivostok includes 70 submarines, more than 50 motor torpedo boats and a number of patrol vessels of various types," it was stated.

"'JanesFighting Ships' has secured independent evidence which goes far to support these figures. The vessels in question are believed to have proceeded to their present station by way of the Northwest Passage."

Janes said that many of the Soviet submarines in the Far East are believed to be mine-layers.

A significant feature of the new Janes was disclosure that the Spanish insurgent navy has received additional warships from Italy.

Power to Build Planes Held Best Nazi Weapon

By the Associated Press.

An American military expert said yesterday Germany had made its air force "an instrument of international blackmail" by multiplying the capacity of its aircraft factories.

George Fielding Eliot, former major in the Army's Intelligence reserve, writing for the Foreign Policy Association, expressed belief Reichsfuehrer Hitler enforced his peace terms at Munich by fewer than 3,000 first-line planes. He said it was difficult to believe a report Germany had 10,000 planes.

Rather, Eliot contended, Germany contrived to gain superiority over Britain and France in the air by its industrial readiness to turn out aerial replacements at the rate of thousands monthly.

"The Munich accord of September 30 served notice on the world that force underlies all international relations as a possible final arbiter," Eliot said.

"It also profoundly altered the conditions under which force may be applied tomorrow in Europe and the world."

Britain's air force, Eliot said, "all things considered, is probably the most formidable air arm in Europe—at the outset of any war.

"In training, equipment, command and tactical doctrine it stands very high," he declared. "Its weakness lies in the inability of British industry, without more 'controls,' to replace its planes as rapidly as the integrated German industry can replace German losses."

France, in five years, has sunk from first to sixth place in air power, Eliot asserted, but still has "the most formidable and best army in Europe."

Reviewing the post-Munich military situation, Eliot said Germany has forced France to revise its military strategy and compelled Britain to speed up rearmament.

"Germany's objective, in contrast to the French idea of security, is expansion," he said. "Its aim is to become blockade proof, and it hopes that its air power will to some extent offset the British fleet."

Italy, Eliot predicted, may be expected to play a subordinate part in Europe and seek territorial compensation in Africa and the Mediterranean.

Envoy Kennedy and Son In Florida for 6 Weeks

Palm Beach, Fla., Dec. 18 (AP).—Joseph P. Kennedy, United States Ambassador to Great Britain, arrived with his son, Jack, for the Christmas holidays and a vacation today. He planned to return to London after six weeks here.

WHERE IS **Miss Civil Service?**

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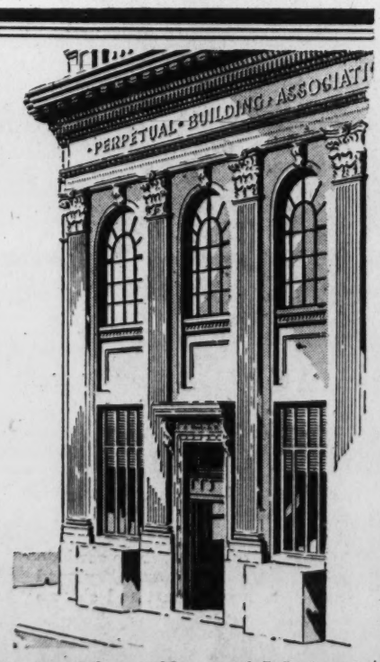

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WOMEN'S DRESSES, THIRD FLOOR

Agency Collects Historic Data On U.S. Shrines

Thousands of Buildings Photographed at Cost Of $1,714,000

Data on thousands of historical buildings throughout the United States has been prepared at a cost of $1,714,000 in the last five years, according to a report by Dr. Leicester B. Holland, chairman of the committee on the preservation of historic buildings of the American Institute of Architects.

Records in the Library of Congress include 17,371 measured drawings and 18,794 photographs, and cover all possible types of construction used by the pioneers of today's civilization. Among these are churches, forts, dwellings, windmills, bridges and slave quarters.

As chairman of the National Advisory Board of the Historic American Buildings Survey, Dr. Holland directed the work of accumulating the material in co-operation with the Institute, the National Park Service and the Works Progress Administration.

Urging continued appropriations to care for the 3,000 historical buildings which remain uncatalogued, Dr. Holland said the continual danger of loss by fire and decay made the immediate care of these necessary.

The survey was formed as a temporary organization in 1933 when a Civil Works Administration appropriation made a few months of operation possible. It was made permanent in 1934. The organization of the American Institute of Architects was adopted to cover the country for the survey.

Designs Emblem

PAUL CAREY, of 3220 Connecticut avenue, who received a cash award from the Cleveland Park Business Men's Association for submitting best design for an emblem to be used by the organization. Carey is employed at the Uptown Theater

Strangers' Yule Lunch Planned

The annual Strangers Dutch-Treat Luncheon will be held at 1 p. m. Christmas Day in the Shoreham Hotel, it was announced yesterday by Dr. Grace A. Thompson, who has sponsored the affair since 1934.

All strangers in Washington who wish to join others for Christmas dinner are invited, Dr. Thompson said, and each guest is requested to bring a 25-cent gift for exchange during the entertainment program. The price of the luncheon is $1.25.

Last Christmas 60 guests from 22 States and 2 foreign countries attended.

Kelly to Give Lecture On C. & O. Canal

Edward Kelly, administrative assistant to the superintendant of the National Capital Parks, will lecture Wednesday at 8 p. m. at the Departmental Auditorium, Constitution avenue between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets northwest.

A feature will be color slides depicting historical scenes of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal from the collection of G. L. Nicolson, former general manager of the Canal Co.

1,000 in Reclamation To Get Merit Rating

The Civil Service Commission said yesterday 1,000 employes of the Reclamation Bureau would be placed under civil service in the next few weeks.

Hack Licenses Ordered on D. C. Funeral Vehicles

The District Commissioners yesterday ordered that for passenger vehicles used as funeral cars, undertakers must obtain hackers' licenses and comply with the compulsory liability insurance law before they can get their 1939 license plates.

It is estimated that about 200 automobiles in the city will be required to take out the $25 license.

The order follows a recent Court of Appeals decision to the effect that all automobiles operated for hire in the city must have a hacker's license and must be covered by insurance. Holding undertakers' vehicles are operated for hire over rules objections raised by various undertaking establishments.

Sen. King to Address S. A. R. Session Dec. 21

Chairman King, of the Senate District Committee will make the principal address at the December meeting of the District society, Sons of the American Revolution, to be held December 21 at 8 p. m. in the Mayflower Hotel.

Miss Olive Lloyd, a member of the choir of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, will sing at the ceremonies. Her accompanist will be Miss Ann Pearson.

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C. Full set of studs, links and vest buttons in smokey imitation pearl $5

D. Gray mocha gloves, warm but unlined..$3

E. The new "after dark" hat in the latest "Serge" blue. Correct and comfortable..$10

F. Full-fashioned black silk hose with white clock $1

Full dress tailcoat and trousers of fine quality black unfinished worsted, $45, $60, $65

G. Plain bosom open front formal shirt of fine quality cotton pique $2.50

H. High Hat in shining black. This is the only correct hat to wear with the tailcoat, $18

I. White Kid Gloves, faultlessly tailored and beautifully stitched. Fine, heavy quality, $3.50

J. Beautifully shaped white tie, all fine cotton. You tie it.....$1 High Wing Collar, 35c

K. Set of studs and links in imitation pearl. They must be white for full dress. $5

L. Full-fashioned plain black hose, all-silk, full-fashioned 85c

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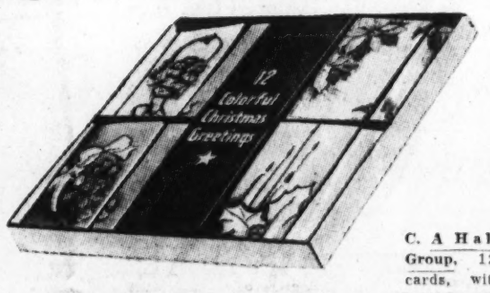
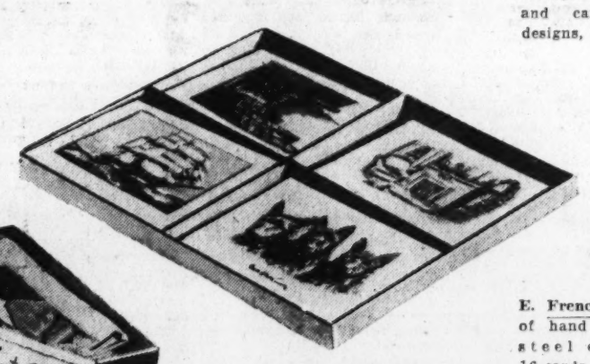


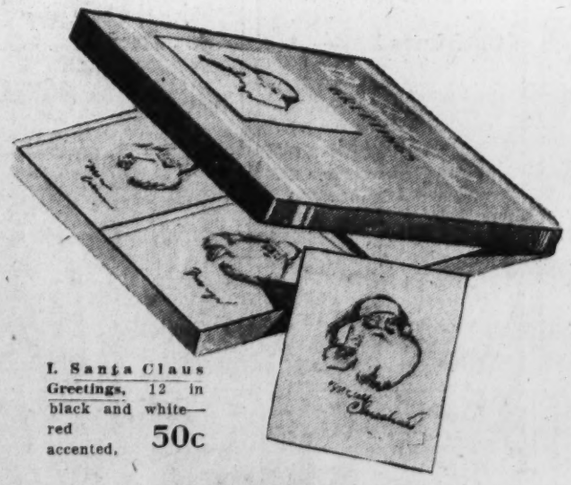
C. A Hallmark Group, 12 smart cards, with holly and candle designs, box, 50c



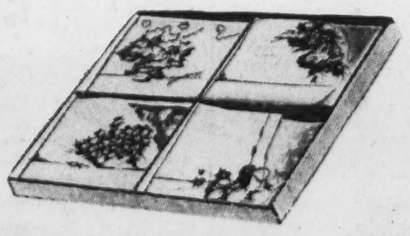
E. French Folders of hand-colored steel engravings, 16 cards, boxed, 50c

F. The Masterpiece Assortment with 12 full-colored reproductions of well known paintings. $1

G. The Band Box Assortment in the ultra-smart oblong shape. 12 cards, $1



I. Santa Claus Greetings, 12 in black and white—red accented, 50c



H. Christmas Folders with holly and poinsettia. 15 folders for 50c

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Plan to Widen Security Adds U.S. Employes

Security

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tive problem of how to collect taxes from them and their employers might be solved by using the stamp book system.

In addition to the matter of coverage, the report was divided under the general headings of benefits and financing.

That various pension proposals had been rejected in the council's deliberations was indicated by J. Douglas Brown, Princeton University economist and council chairman, who stressed "the insurance method" of providing security after, he said, the council had examined pension proposals carefully.

Praised by Vandenberg

In a press conference prior to release of the report, Brown said the two basic principles of "security for the family unit" and "the use of the insurance method" were emphasized.

The council, composed of 25 representatives of employes, employers and the public, made its report to the Senate Finance Committee and the Social Security Board.

Almost immediately, Senator Vandenberg (Republican), of Michigan, one of the sponsors of creation of the council, hailed the findings as an "expert, unpartisan clarification of a complex problem," but took issue with the group on two items—he would prevent the scheduled pay roll tax increase on January 1, 1940, and would cover no new groups until "the existing system for existing groups" has been perfected.

Walter D. Fuller, member of the council and president of the Curtis Publishing Co., also issued a statement warning that any increase in the cost of the program through liberalization of benefits would tend to delay re-employment of millions.

Four Needs Listed

Vandenberg said that, as a result of the council's clarification of the problem, "Congress no longer should hesitate to do these fundamental things in amending the social security act:

"Eliminate the 'full reserve,' which would amount to the fantastic sum of $47,000,000,000 by 1980.

"Eliminate the increased pay-roll taxes due in 1940.

"Hasten the commencement of benefit payments and equitably level off their peaks and valleys.

"Trustee these old-age pension funds for their specific purpose, instead of swallowing them in the general treasury."

Would Delay Increase

Because employers and employes are now burdened with heavy expenditures, having just begun to emerge from a serious depression, Fuller said he believed strongly that the ½-cent increase in the tax due January 1, 1940, should be delayed. The proposed increase would mean a further pay roll tax of $300,000,000 a year on employers and employes.

"On October 1," Fuller said, "I understand we had reserved for future old-age pensions the sum of $963,000,000 and more money will continue to go into this fund at the rate of about $500,000,000 annually * * * No one knows what benefit payments will cost in the early years, but they probably will not be as much as present annual tax payments. Why then take more from employe and employer at this critical time?"

The council, proposing that the date for beginning payments should be moved up from 1942 to January 1, 1940, estimated the average beneficiary would receive only $19 a month by 1945, and suggested that the benefits "payable in the early years should be increased."

Would Pay Aged Wives

In line with the "family unit" philosophy, this, the council said, should be brought about chiefly by paying supplementary benefits to the aged wives of beneficiaries. A wife would get 50 per cent of the amount paid her husband if she was over 65 and had been married to him for at least five years before he reached 65.

If the husband died, the widow would receive an annuity equal to three-fourths of his annuity. If she was entitled to benefits in her own right, as a result of having been employed herself, and if those were larger than her allowance as a wife, she would draw those instead.

In event a worker died before reaching 65, the council proposed that orphans' benefits and a widow's allowance be paid his family, the total being determined by the number of dependent children. This was designed to hold the family together as an economic unit and keep it off charity.

Disability insurance proposals would put the social security program into a new field, and the report stated that while all members of the council agreed on it in principle some members "believe that on account of additional costs and administrative difficulties, the problem should receive further study."

Rail Crash Injures 13 in Florida

Coleman, Fla., Dec. 18 (AP).—Thirteen persons were reported injured, none seriously, here early today when the second section of a Seaboard Air Line tourist train ran into the rear end of the first section.

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Farm Worker Admits Hacking Two to Death

WILMA KENNEDY

FRANK SALAZAR

Mexican Confesses He Killed Texas Couple; Kidnaped Girl Safe

By the Associated Press.

Austin, Tex., Dec. 18.—Frank Salazar, Mexican laborer who killed a west Texas farm couple and forced their daughter to accompany him on his flight in her murdered father's automobile, was caught in a shack near here today.

The girl he had kidnaped, Wilma Kennedy, 16, was with him, unharmed. She had not learned Salazar had slain her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kennedy, of Miles, Tex., Thursday night.

Sheriff Lee O. Allen said Salazar admitted he had killed the couple, but denied he had attacked their two other daughters, Fay, 4, and Imogene, 13, with an ax.

National Ballet Held Tax-Exempt

Bureau of Internal Revenue has ruled that the Washington National Ballet, which is planning a series of five "workshop" performances with music, dancing and design by Washingtonians, qualifies as an educational organization, and as such is exempt from tax on admissions, it was learned yesterday.

The Washington Ballet, in co-operation with the Washington Composers Club, will stage five recitals at the King-Smith Playhouse, four on Friday evenings, January 20, February 24, March 24, April 28, and one matinee for children, April 29.

Lisa Gardiner is director of the ballet. Executive committee includes Bess Davis Schreiner, Mrs. Woodlief Thomas and Mrs. Edward T. Willson. Members of the advisory committee for the Friday performances are Mrs. Dean Acheson, Mrs. Walter Bruce Howe, Miss Cecil Lester Jones, Mrs. Atherton Macondray, Mrs. John H. Magruder, Mrs. Harold N. Marsh, Mrs. C. Powell Minnigerode, Edward C. Potter, Mrs. L. Corrin Strong and C. Law Watkins.

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Motorman Killed as Auto Hits Trolley

Traffic

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in which Mrs. Karr was riding, and Ernest McKay, 39, 1341 S street southeast, the other motorist, were treated at Gallinger Hospital for lacerations. Poling suffered a fractured right arm.

McKay was charged with reckless driving.

Car Hits Police Crane

Paul Moore, 23, 5730 Third place northwest, and Audrey Kettenbach, 18, also were hurt in the crash. They received first aid at Gallinger Hospital for cuts and bruises.

James L. Webster, 45, of Boulevard Heights, Md., was in a serious condition at Casualty Hospital last night after his car left the Marlboro pike near Marlboro. He suffered a possible skull fracture and compound fracture of both legs.

Joseph Windsor and Sylvester Robinson, 20-year old colored men of Upper Marlboro, were seriously injured when their automobile plunged off the road near Meadows, Md. Taken to Casualty Hospital by the Prince Georges County Rescue Squad. Windsor was found to have contusions and lacerations of the face and left eye, with possible internal injuries. Robinson had severe lacerations of the forehead and ear.

While a police department crane was clearing away the wreckage of the first accident on Alabama avenue another car crashed into the rear of the crane truck, injuring three persons.

George L. Sweeney, 53, of Jessup, Md., suffered a fractured skull when he was struck by two automobiles at Waterloo Md., last night. Hit first by a machine driven by Myer Walberg, 40, of 4212 Seventh street, Washington, he was struck by another while he was lying in the roadway. The second car failed to stop. At St. Agnes Hospital Baltimore, Sweeney was said to be in critical condition.

Laverne and Lillian Tucker, 17 and 20 respectively, 1667 Wisconsin avenue northwest, suffered cuts and bruises and shock and were treated at Casualty Hospital.

A third passenger in the car, Francis I. Lee, 29, 4847 Wisconsin avenue northwest, was treated at Gallinger Hospital for a fractured left ankle.

A reckless driving charge was placed against Lawrence B. Jacobs, 21, 1024 Eighth street northwest, driver of the automobile. He was uninjured.

Two policemen were injured slightly when an automobile crashed into the back of a police patrol van which had stalled in the 3600 block Albemarle street northwest.

Acting Sergt. L. C. Parks, who was trying to start the police van, received possible fractured ribs, and Private James Miller suffered a strained back. Both were treated at Garfield Hospital.

Ten Prisoners Unhurt

The patrol was transferring prisoners from the Second to the Eighth Precinct when the accident occurred.

James M. Bigger, of Buffalo, N. Y., driver of the machine that struck the van, was arrested on a reckless driving count. He said he did not see the van.

Ten prisoners were unhurt.

Other traffic victims who received first-aid at hospitals were Charles Marshall, 32, 315 V street northeast, lacerations on right leg; Ada Brown, colored, 79, 1113 Fifth street northwest, cuts and bruises; Phillip G. Vincent, 20, 5509 Fifth street northwest; Anna F. Claxton, 18, Woodside, Md., and Nancy Lang, 17, 801 Fifth street northeast, all minor cuts.

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Capital Night Clubs

By Mary Harris

Another society nightingale spreads her wings! Anne Kiess, lovely blonde sub-deb, has almost put her name on the dotted line to appear at Pete Macias' Heigh-Ho Club. The probabilities are that Anne will begin to sing at Heigh-Ho on Wednesday.

Though she is only about 17, Anne is already a synonym for glamour in the younger society crowd. She dances with professional finish and verve and is especially expert in the more complicated versions of the tango. Her singing is said to reveal both a sweet and low-pitched voice and a gift for honeyed musical phrasing. Miss Kiess is the daughter of Mrs. Edgar Kiess and the late Representative Kiess and has lived in Washington almost all her life. Her friends are enthusiastic about her prospective singing debut and vow she's sure to "click."

"Tubby" Rives is now singing weird ditties from table to table at the Heigh-Ho. He'll make them as weird as you want them. Arthur Murray, New York dancing teacher, was the guest of honor at a tea dance at Heigh-Ho yesterday. All the debs and sub-debs were out in orchid array. Among the sponsors of the affair were Mrs. Lawrence Townsend, Countess Cassini and Mrs. Demarest Lloyd.

Switch in the Pall Mall Room: Dancers Glen Temple and Stephanie Joren will waltz into the Pall Mall Room this evening for a special engagement. They're fresh from the West, said to be agile as crickets, graceful as butterflies.

There's no point in trying to raise a royal flush. So the Shoreham is doing one of its rarest tricks—holding its entire floor show. This means a third week of Fontana and Bettine, a second week of Bill Brady, Hollywood tenor, and Dancer Norma Gallo. All of these would grace any stage revue—in combination with Barnee and the Shoreham orchestra and Jone Dominguez's Cuban rhythm, they offer ideal entertainment.

Christmas Presents, Russian Style: Troika will add four new numbers to its floor revue this week, probably about Wednesday. Moskova and Bajon (the marionet pair) will pull another skit from their bag of tricks. Lola and Vanya and

HOWARD TOPHAN, who does piano magic at the Uptown cocktail lounge

JACK TORRY, Brinkley's specialist in "killer-diller" dancing

Ballerina Nadia Veralle are rehearsing a group of new dances that will carry you back to the days when Leningrad was St. Petersburg and the grand dukes danced to gypsy music. Troika will be open on Christmas Day and also will serve Christmas dinner Monday.

Evelyn Knight, lorelei of the King Cole Room, sings at dinner parties around town—with the result that the parties usually adjourn to the King Cole Room. Last week the King Cole was packed with folks who'd previously attended the Early Bird and Kappa Sigma dinners.

If you want to make the boys of the Rainbow Room Orchestra very, very happy, just take them a puzzle. You won't believe it, but Milton Davis and the rest of the lads spend the interludes between dances in working out these Prof. Quiz brain-twisters.

Smiles That Make You Happy: That jolly Pickwick grin of Jack Gardiner's (pianist with Sande Williams' Shar-Zad orchestra), which just suits his rosy and rotund face.

The mischievous, twinkling smile of Beverly Stull, Mayfair's accordioning lassie. Beverly smiles with her eyes as well as her lips.

The frank, clear-eyed smile of Frances Chapman, who makes folks feel at home in the Anchor Room.

That startled, surprised-at-myself smile of Grace Herbert's (Lounge Riviera) when she sings a naughty line.

The beaming Neapolitan smile of Angie Rodante (Hi Hat) that reminds you that her folks came from Sunny Italy, even while she's singing "Minnie the Moocher."

Johnny Shaw's (Madrillon) little-boy grin.

But the biggest smile of all is Al Simmond's (Brown Derby). When Al smiles, he smiles all over.

Paul Kain, whose orchestra stirs up rhythm in the Wardman's Metronome Room, is one of the town's most streamlined dressers. He goes in for Charvet ties that remind one of sunset over the Grand Canyon. Paul's latest acquisition is a blue overcoat that stops traffic.

Bamboo Gardens will offer another double-size revue today. It's the Muriel Asch Fleurette Show, said to be one of the brightest ever brought to Bamboo. There will be a flock of dancing beauties, ballroom dancers, Carole and Walsh; Fields and Clark, in a roller-skating act; eccentric dancer, Jackie Price, and Ruth Vale, who offers dancing in the Russian manner.

Big event of this afternoon (evening, too) will be the appearance of Jack Kerr at the Cafe Caprice. Master Kerr comes right from London, where he entertained King George and Queen Elizabeth.

Elaine Seidler's colorful revue is being held over at the Lotus, with several changes in dances and songage. The show will be enriched by George Bell's novelty stunting. Special—"Tiny" Meeker again will take over the emceeing, which means many added chuckles.

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New York, Dec. 18 (AP).—The general offices of the Associated Press, largest news gathering organization in the world, were located today in the new 15-story Associated Press building in Rockefeller Center.

There was not the slightest interruption, however, in the flow of news across and up and down the country and to and from Mexico, South America, Europe and the Orient, so delicately-timed and so speedily executed was the changeover.

For about two hours early this morning, the 285,000 miles of the Associated Press' leased wire system operated from both the old and the new headquarters.

The change was gradual during this period of dual operation. One by one the teletypes were silenced in the old offices and their never-ending clicking was taken up in the new—without a hitch, without an instant's delay in transmitting the news to 1,350 newspapers which make up the huge, co-operative, nonprofit organization.

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Two Wills Tangle $350,000 Estate Of Aged Recluse

Tampa, Fla., Dec. 18 (AP).—Two wills purportedly made by Mrs. Letitia V. Graham, 93-year-old recluse who died Friday after living 50 years here in squalor, were reported today and threatened to plunge into litigation the $350,000 fortune discovered after her death.

The content of neither will was disclosed, pending probate proceedings which will involve claims of seven cousins.

One will was deposited with County Judge G. H. Cornelius. But a letter in Judge Cornelius' possession, written over Mrs. Graham's signature, said she had made another will, which was placed in custody of S. S. Sine, a friend.

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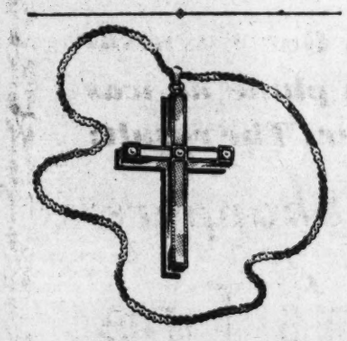

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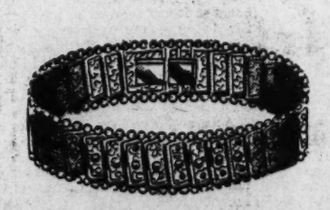
Today's gift—tomorrow's heirloom—for the charm of these *real jewelry* costume pieces increases with the years. The cross sketched is set with 3 fine diamonds and is priced at $15—others cost from $2.50 to $75. Use the convenient deferred payment plan at **THE ROSS COMPANY, 1331 F STREET.** No extra charges.



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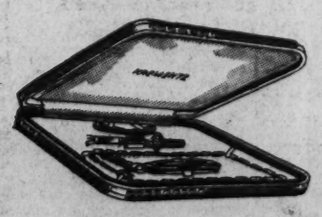

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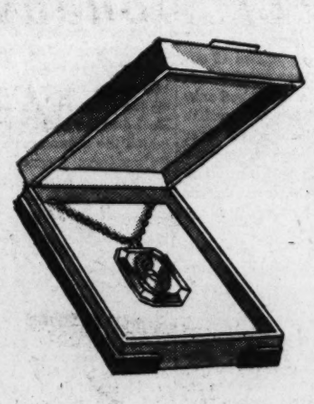

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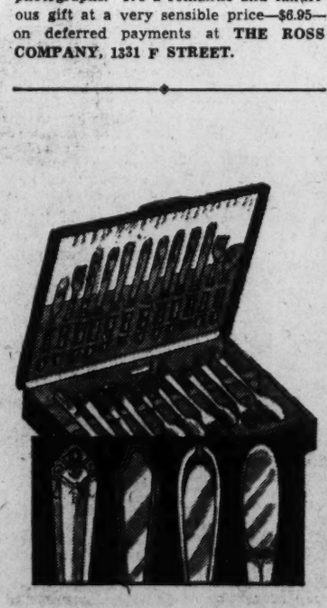

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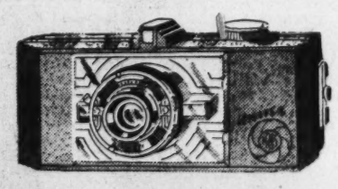

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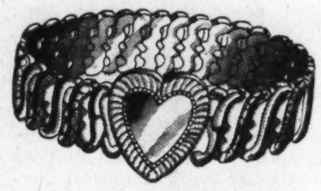

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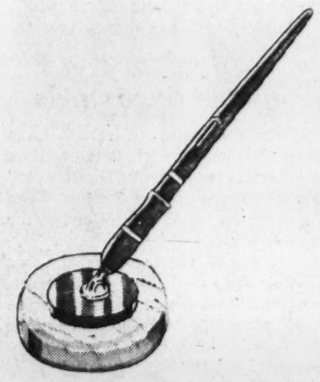

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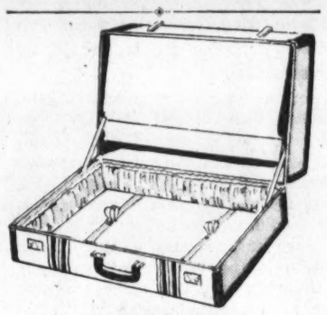

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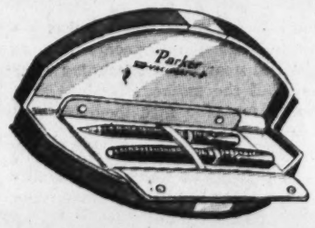

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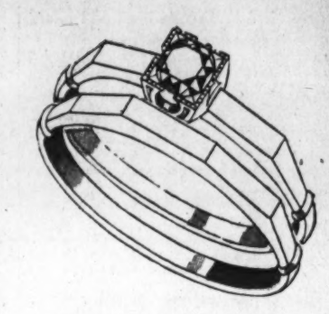

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Here's the gift for her that's the beginning of a good many Merry Christmases—so why not present it Christmas morning in advance of "presentation" date! The rings sketched are in solid coin gold, severely tailoured, yet beautiful in their simplicity. Magnificently cut diamond in the engagement ring. Priced at only $75 for the pair. Use deferred payments at **THE ROSS COMPANY, 1331 F STREET.**

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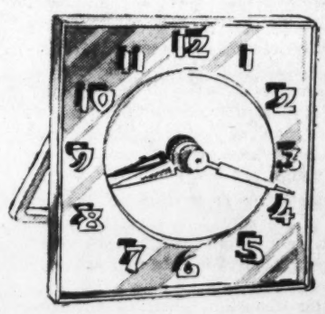

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Phi Beta Kappa's Purge

For the first time in the 162 years of its existence Phi Beta Kappa, honorary scholastic society, is seriously considering dropping two institutions from the list of those entitled to maintain chapters.

Heretofore the society has been content with a rigorous preliminary examination of colleges and universities seeking recognition. Last year, however, aroused by the reported deterioration of academic standards in a number of affiliated institutions, executive officials of the society authorized a committee investigation. Two out of the six member colleges covered by that survey have now been selected for more intensive investigation which may lead to disciplinary action.

The chief purpose of an honorary fraternity like Phi Beta Kappa is to instill a desire for learning and to encourage institutions of learning to uphold high standards. Consequently the society is rightly disturbed when colleges and universities upon which it has set the seal of its approval fail to live up to their earlier promise. Undoubtedly a good many institutions whose students are sent out into the world displaying Phi Beta Kappa keys have fallen on evil days because of political interference with their curricula, lack of funds or voluntary relaxation of standards. Moreover, Phi Beta Kappa itself has succumbed to the temptation of publicizing its activities in a way that would do credit to a commercial advertiser.

In view of these tendencies it is encouraging to find the emphasis shifting to quality rather than quantity, with the warning that Phi Beta Kappa may decide to cast out the academically unfit. Elimination of individual colleges and universities would not, however, remove the evils of widely varying standards for admission of students to local chapters. A key symbolic of academic achievement which is difficult to obtain in one college may be acquired with comparative ease in another whose general standards are equally high.

Perhaps this is a situation that an honor society cannot be expected to correct, largely because interference would be resented and would be impracticable. But whenever arbitrary tests of eligibility for student membership, unrelated to scholastic attainments, are imposed, Phi Beta Kappa would be justified in protesting.

The power which a small group of "scholars" may exercise by refusing to establish chapters of Phi Beta Kappa in substandard institutions is undoubtedly great. It emphasizes the necessity for a very careful and thorough investigation before taking action which may seriously impair the prestige of colleges and universities.

Nonetheless, if the society is to achieve its objectives, it cannot avoid grappling with the problems that are its particular concern. All that can reasonably be asked is that before taking punitive action in particularly flagrant cases of academic deterioration the evidence be carefully weighed and the institution be given a chance to reverse its downward trend, if possible.

Lower Rail Fares

The Southeastern railroads have voted to reduce coach passenger fares from the present 2-cent-per-mile rate to 1½ cents. The 2-cent rate in effect since last spring has resulted in the diversion of a great deal of local traffic to buses and private automobiles. In an effort to regain this lost business, the roads have decided to return to the old rate.

Their action calls attention to the disappointing results of the fare increases put into effect last summer by the Eastern roads. Instead of collecting additional revenue from the advance in coach fares to 2½ cents per mile, the Eastern carriers are also losing money because of a shift of traffic from the rails to the highways. The skepticism of the ICC when the Eastern roads petitioned for an increase on the ground that it would add an estimated $30,000,000 per year to their revenues appears to have been amply justified. After refusing to grant their petition, the ICC later reluctantly allowed the Eastern carriers to test the effect of an increase.

The roads have now learned from experience that financial relief cannot always be obtained by charging more for the transport of passengers. The only way to achieve a satisfactory solution of their rate problem is to establish unified regulation of all competing common carriers. Even then, the competition of private automobiles has to be taken into consideration.

Under present conditions, it appears that the best policy for the roads is to fix their passenger rates at a level designed to attract the maximum number of persons who can be accommodated without additions to operating expenses that would offset the gains of a larger volume of business. In this way the traveling public will obtain more for its money while the roads will be better able to compete with other carriers.

New Net For Spies

The recent trial of German espionage agents in New York, which resulted in prison sentences for three men and a woman, was marred somewhat by the fact that the more important figures in the case escaped punishment.

Eighteen persons allegedly in the plot were indicted, yet only four were tried. In asking for the indictment of several of these 18, including the spy masters in Berlin, the Government obviously had no hope of bringing them into court. But there were others who certainly should have been tried, especially those who escaped after being arrested or placed under surveillance.

Among these were Dr. Ignatz T. Griebl, Yorkville physician and German bund leader, who fled on the liner Bremen as a stowaway after he had been served with a subpena, and William Lonkowski, said to be a civilian attache of the war ministry at Berlin, who got away after being questioned and searched in New York. The failure of the Government's agents to hold these men and hale them into court was a keen disappointment to Federal Judge John C. Knox, who so ably presided at the trial, and he confessed as much in these words:

> I cannot refrain from comment upon the ineptitude of some of our own protective agencies which was responsible for the escape of Lonkowski and Griebl. For this happening it is not my province to apportion the blame. I can say, however, from what has been brought to my attention upon this trial, the fault does not seem to lie within the office of the United States attorney for this district. Indeed, it may be that had that office been taken into closer confidence by our detective bureaus at an earlier date, it might well be that Dr. Griebl would not be practicing medicine in Vienna today.

From Judge Knox's restrained remarks it is clear that somewhere along the line there was a serious absence of co-operation. The inevitable result was to open gaps in what should have been an escape-proof net. This situation did not escape the notice of President Roosevelt. As far back as October 7 he said that he was working on a plan of co-ordinating Federal machinery to combat foreign agents, and more recently he announced completion of that undertaking.

The truth is that recent spy activities found the United States virtually unprepared. A year ago, indeed, the expression, "spy menace," provoked nothing more than amusement in this country, amusement thoroughly understandable to those who remember what happened in the post-war days. Those were the days of the "red scare," of radical-hunting and of fearsome warnings. Actually there was a formidable radical movement, just as there was in nearly every country after the war, but the methods used to fight it were so fantastic that they defeated their own purpose.

How serious the espionage problem is today is a question on which opinions differ, but certainly Fraulein Hofmann and her compatriots were not merely playing a game of "I Spy" when they were captured last summer. Neither, apparently, were the two Russians who were arrested in Los Angeles the other day, nor the German who was convicted of making pictures of the Panama Canal defenses.

President Roosevelt has pointed out that the United States needs no secret police force such as Germany's dread Gestapo or Russia's frightful Ogpu. The attitude suggests that counter-espionage work will be done by existing agencies.

Maj. Elmer L. Irey, chief of the Treasury Department's intelligence unit, has informed Secretary Morgenthau that, in response to the President's order, his 3,000 "T-men" are ready to "co-operate with all other Federal agencies in tracking down foreign spies." J. Edgar Hoover, director of the FBI, undoubtedly has notified Attorney General Cummings that his "G-men" also are ready. The Army and Navy intelligence units probably will need some civilian agents, preferably reserve officers, to check up on workers in aviation plants and the like. The Department of State, if Senator Key Pittman has his way, also will be given some agents to keep an eye on foreign ideology societies, which he regards as recruiting grounds for possible sabotage organizations.

In the past, there has been considerable rivalry, not to say jealousy, between some of our investigating units. Occasionally it has flared into the open. In this particular endeavor—an endeavor which, after all, is definitely linked to the whole preparedness program—professional jealousy would be especially dangerous. By working quietly together, however, these various agencies should be able to weave an anti-spy net that will command the same respect as America's other defense weapons.

The Sun's Fuel Supply

Scientists are often accused of using their imaginations, especially when they talk of such remote problems as the source of energy in the sun. Laboratory experts who are dealing with this and similar subjects would doubtless readily acknowledge an indebtedness to free speculative thought. But the distinguishing feature of science is that it is not satisfied by unsupported theory.

Consequently, when Prof. Hans Albrecht Bethe of Cornell University announces solution of the mystery surrounding the sun's seemingly inexhaustible supply of radiant energy his conclusions command a large measure of respect. Presumably his theory has been subjected to various tests. Certainly it will now undergo a rigorous checking by physicists in many parts of the world. No scientist of standing will hesitate to point out any weakness that may be revealed.

Prof. Bethe's conclusions are interesting as an illustration of the scientific method as well as for their bearing upon the mystery of the sun. For centuries the world knew little or nothing of the source of the sun's radiant energy which makes life on the earth possible. Several hypotheses were offered but found wanting. The consumption of fuel on the earth seemed to offer no clew to the infinitely greater generation of heat in the sun.

But science discovered that the tremendous stores of energy locked in the nuclei of atoms may be released by impacts strong enough to break down those nuclei. Scientists quickly assumed that the energy of the sun is produced by this method. Physicists eagerly sought a formula by which the brilliance of the sun could be explained through disintegration of atoms. Until now, however, their theories have been disappointing because they called for either much more or less energy than the sun is known to radiate.

Dr. Bethe seems to have overcome this difficulty. He concludes that carbon is the fuel of the sun as well as of the earth. But whereas we burn the outside of carbon atoms, the sun by its intense heat releases the infinitely greater energy of carbon atom nuclei.

The layman will have little interest in Dr. Bethe's explanation of how a carbon nucleus in the sun captures a hydrogen nucleus to form a nitrogen nucleus, and how this nitrogen nucleus, being again bombarded by hydrogen, finally produces a helium nucleus and regenerates the original carbon nucleus. Those strange transformations may well be left to the physicist. The important point is that Dr. Bethe's calculations fit the known facts about generation of energy in the sun.

By the slow method of trial and error man's understanding of the universe is being gradually extended. In the light of further research the Bethe theory may be revised or even set aside. But, if so, it may be expected to give way only to a more informed view. Man's conquest of the material universe seems to be making progress, even though the use to which new knowledge will be put remains tragically uncertain.

Syncopated Savoyards

Travelers lately returned from Chicago bring fearful and wonderful tales about a delirious swing version of "The Mikado" by an all-Negro cast. It has been raging these ten weeks past in one of the playhouses there.

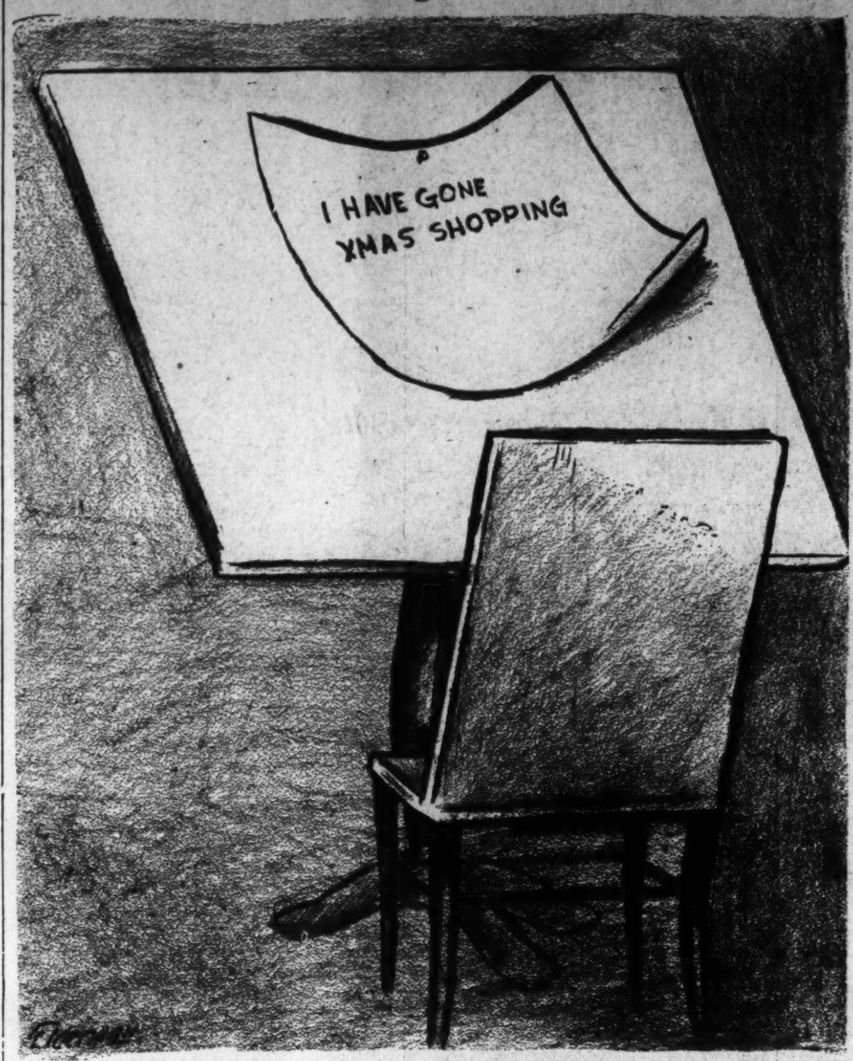
Nothing like it, the travelers say, has been heard and seen in the world before, and compared to it the wildest improvisations of the late Bix Beiderbecke were the stuffiest academicism. The lake shore whackies, it is said, fight for tickets as men dying of thirst might fight over an ounce of water, and a house, seating more than a thousand, is packed, night after night, to its walls.

Somehow this strikes us as at once very interesting and very sad, as it is interesting and sad when a schoolboy paints mustaches on a reproduction of the Mona Lisa or when someone hangs a pair of horn-rimmed spectacles and a bowler hat on the Apollo Belvedere.

It is okeh to play Hamlet in overalls and Julius Caesar in pajamas. Those, after all, are only plays, but the works of Gilbert and Sullivan are not so much operas as rituals—rituals that, heretofore, have been more rigid than the Japanese tea ceremony, or the Siamese ballet, or even than the tossing of a baseball around the infield after a strikeout. To your pious Savoyard the precise angle of the crook in KoKo's finger or the precise weight of putty on the nose of Jack Point are matters of life and death significance.

Thus, when the news of what is going on in Chicago gets abroad, persons who have Savoyards in their families will do well to keep them under close watch and even to seek medical assistance. Meanwhile, it is plain that to the infatuated jitterbugs nothing, absolutely nothing, is sacred. Mark us, it is only a question of time when they will be swinging Palestrina and the plainchant, if indeed those are not being swung already. Here is due warning to the Schola Cantorum to make reservations of padded cells.

Must Be Getting Near Christmas



Letters to the Editor

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Mexican Expropriations

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The writer was present on December 7 at the talks, sponsored by the George Washington University at the National Chamber of Commerce, of Father Walsh, Mr. Call and Mr. Castle, all of which were quite illuminating, interesting and instructive, and handled quite ably, as all talks by these three gentlemen are handled.

Due to lack of time, members of the audience were not permitted to address questions to the various speakers, such questions being limited to the Panel.

The remarks of Mr. Castle, while perfectly proper, no doubt, were obviously directed to what the writer considered an unjust criticism of the position the Administration has taken in regard to our Government's trade relations with the Latin-American nations, and in particular with the question of the expropriation of property in Mexico. Mr. Castle repeatedly criticized the Administration for its action in connection with what he deemed "stolen" property in Mexico, and that practically all the Administration was doing was, after being slapped in the face, turning the other cheek and in every way exhibiting weakness.

While the writer agrees heartily with Mr. Castle's position that something should be done relative to this expropriation of property, nevertheless there was one question that I was quite anxious to submit to Mr. Castle and as above stated was unable to do.

It was apparent all through Mr. Castle's talk that he was not in accord with the manner in which our Government was dealing with these questions.

Now I would like to ask Mr. Castle what our Government or the Administration can or should do—short of utilizing armed force—other than it is doing in connection with this Mexican question. Has Mr. Castle any suggestion as to what to do?

It is quite easy to criticize, but I hardly believe it fair and just to criticize when you have nothing better to suggest.

CHAS. E. RIORDON.
Washington, Dec. 9.

Canaries And Patriotism

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I note that the "100 per cent American" of Arlington smells decay in our democracy because a Gallup poll shows 93 per cent of our people would regard a victory for Russia as less a menace to us and the world than a victory for Germany in event of war between those powers.

As your 100 per center had 12 ancestors in the American armies during the Revolution, while I had only one, I naturally feel only one-twelfth as discouraged and sorrowful over the Gallup poll as he does, unless I can raise my rating with the claim that my ancestors cheered off his ancestors when they left for the front.

In these days, when Communists and disloyalists are badgering the Dies committee with questions as to how communistic Shirley Temple may be, or whether Kit Marlowe was not in the pay of the Soviets when he wrote "Dr. Faustus," produced by the Federal Players, a comforting note comes from the recent bird show, as reported in your columns. I refer to Pete, the canary, who has been taught to whistle "Yankee Doodle."

When a humble bird can show a degree of patriotism to equal that found in some patriotic bodies, should we be more than temporarily discouraged at the Gallup poll? My one Revolutionary ancestor counsels me patience, and Pete, the canary, holds aloft the torch of patriotism as I tread through the briars of "unassimilable elements."

DESCENDANT OF THE CHEER LEADERS OF '76.
Washington, Dec. 16.

The Third Term

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: In the light of existing circumstances, Senator Guffey's argument in favor of President Roosevelt's nomination for a third term seems unanswerable. New developments may alter the situation, but as matters stand the Senator's contention cannot well be disputed.

President Roosevelt is, as the fighting Pennsylvania liberal says, the logical candidate to defend the Roosevelt policies of 1940. It was he who inspired and outlined those policies which have been enacted into law, backed, of course, by capable progressive Democrats and other progressives in Congress. Nobody knows better than he the bitter struggle necessary to secure the enactment of the measures written on the statute books under the New Deal and the equally savage fight by which the economic carnivora of the Nation have succeeded in blocking the passage of other humanitarian legislation and in hampering the enforcement of such laws as the Wagner labor relations act. Nobody can more effectively point out to the American people what the New Deal has done to keep the masses from starvation. Nobody can explain more clearly what the New Deal has sought, but been unable to accomplish because of political and economic sabotage. Nobody is better qualified to outline the program of social amelioration which the New Deal still hopes to translate into reality.

And no figure among many intrepid champions of "the forgotten man" in the Democratic Party commands such admiration and affection as Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Harry L. Hopkins would make a splendid President and possesses exceptional fearlessness and vision. The same may be said of Robert H. Jackson. No liberal in the United States surpasses Senator Robert F. Wagner in able, earnest, lifelong efforts to lessen the severities of our industrial feudalism, and to make life more comfortable for the underprivileged, but as is well known, his foreign birth unfortunately renders him ineligible to the Presidency. The list of competent and courageous men in the ranks of progressive Democracy who would be the people's chief magistrate rather than the representative of the economic royalists is a long one. But could these men gain as strong popular support as Roosevelt? Could they wage as successful a campaign against what Senator Guffey correctly characterizes the semi-fascism camouflaged as the Republican Party? I doubt it.

Roosevelt is more than Roosevelt, the individual. He is a symbol. He is the rallying point of all the democratic and forward-looking forces in America that want to hold back the rising tide of black fascism and ruthless reaction.

LINN A. E. GALE.
Washington, Dec. 13.

Responsibility Of The People

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The Constitution of the United States says in Article I, Section VII: "All bills for raising revenue shall originate in the House of Representatives."

If this provision means anything at all, it means that the people, through their Representatives, shall control the purse strings of the Union. In Section III of Article II, which deals with the functions and powers of the President, we find:

"He (the President) shall, from time to time, give to the Congress information as to the state of the Union, and recommend to their consideration such measures as he shall consider necessary and expedient. He may, on extraordinary occasions, convene both houses, or either of them; and, in case of disagreement between them, with respect to adjournment, he may adjourn them to such time as he may think proper."

Except in the matter of dealing with bills by signing or by veto, there is no other mention in the Constitution of any duty, function or power of the President in regard to legislation.

The happenings of the last six years show how far we have departed from the prescribed charter of our Federal Union. We have seen the Congress abdicate its constitutional function, which each member swore to maintain by making its duty of initiating revenue legislation a mere formality. It has earned the humiliating but merited designation of "rubber stamp."

It has turned over to the Executive on demand every two years one and a half billions of the people's money to be spent according to his whim for undefined purposes of relief. Any suggestion that the peoples' Representatives fulfill their sworn duty by specifying how, and for what ends money appropriated shall be expended is called by the odious name of "ear-marking."

It is not altogether fair to blame Congressmen for their course of action. It is the people who are responsible. Congress reflected the will of those who sent them to Washington. The election of 1936 expressed the will of the electorate that Mr. Roosevelt should be given the opportunity of carrying out his promises of setting to rights all the social and economic difficulties from which the country has suffered. Only a few realized at the time the role played by the billion and a half relief dollars in securing the verdict. Congress had reason to admit that Mr. Roosevelt's claim that he had a mandate from the people seemed to be founded on fact.

The responsibility for the temporary (let us hope) suspension of the working of our constitutional method of government lies with the people themselves. There will always be possible emergencies, such as war, when increased powers must be temporarily given to certain agencies. In a republican form of government it must be the people that decide when such an emergency exists. If they are not competent to decide wisely, or are led by self-interest or otherwise to decide unwisely on the existence and duration of such emergency, then is our so-called democracy a failure for the time being.

B. M. RANDOLPH.
Warrenton, Va., Dec. 16.

"Bad Joke"

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The Scots have a word for it, "blether," which exactly describes the Anthony Eden output about the three "world democracies."

How about British democracy in India or Burma? And that delightful French democracy in Indo-China, Madagascar or Algiers?

The published draft of the British-Italian peace pact included the admission of British control over the Hadramaut, 50,000 square miles of southwestern Arabia, owned and governed by the Arabs for 2,000 years.

Mr. Eden's drool and drivel about British and French democracy has done more to alienate the sympathies of the American people from British and French imperialism than all the Nazi and Fascist propaganda.

Democracy? It's a bad joke.

WHIDDEN GRAHAM.
New York, Dec. 15.

The Post Impressionist

Business Man

WHEN MY FRIEND Harris consented to go into business on getting out of college about 25 years ago, he did so only on the urgent solicitation of his father. Harris himself wanted to go to Paris to study art. He wanted to do this for two reasons; one of which was that he had discovered a pretty talent in himself for painting pictures. It had cropped out when he yielded to an urge to decorate the clean calsomined walls of the corridor outside his room in the dormitory. For as he got into it a really interesting mural developed.

The other reason was that, in common with a number of his fellow students, he thought business men belonged to a lower caste than the educated esthetes and embryonic scholars they had come to think themselves. Nor did they think any flaw in their attitude resulted because their tuition and board bills, not to mention other expenses, were paid out of the usufructs of their fathers' businesses. That indeed was as it should be; the lower should always support the higher.

Harris' dad got through to his feelings at a time when the son was unusually helpless and impressionable. And he spared no means for "selling" him, as the expression is today, on the wisdom and even duty of going into the family business. The boy was recuperating from a serious football injury. He had lain there in a cast for a couple of weeks when the crucial conversation occurred that turned him away from art and Paris toward the factory and Philadelphia.

The business was of considerable prominence. The product it made was in almost universal demand—and I notice that in recent years it has become even more popular. In relation to it the father appealed to Harris' filial nature; he sought to impress him with the dignity and interest of assuming his share in protecting the business on which the family's fortunes and reputation had been founded. He mentioned that into the life of even the most energetic businessman some leisure must fall, and that he could follow whatever hobby appealed to him, whether painting, or first editions, or writing verse, or—as would be more healthful—learning to play a good game of golf.

In the end Harris acceded to his father's pleas, and ever since then his identity has been inseparable from that of the business which bears the family name.

For several years past he has been president. Before that he served as sales and advertising manager, and it was doubtless in the latter connection that whatever esthetic impulses he continued to keep alive found their expression. For the company has done a noticeably good advertising job, and it has had no small part in building up the increasing fame and profits of the business. Thus the thing that Harris sacrificed to the business has done much to fatten the business.

You can make any analogy from the last circumstance that you desire. Similes can be chosen that will flatter the role of business, or that will depreciate it in relation with art and the cultural pursuits of living that everyone assumed Harris had put to one side. None of us believed he could retain a pure interest in both.

As I am trying to give an objective account, I will not attempt any analogy. I chose Harris' case only because it has seemed to me to mirror through the succeeding years the metamorphosis through which the general attitude toward business has gone, according to both "short and long-time trends." In his own person and career, in his instincts and decision, he has epitomized the idealized opposition to business and the practical acceptance of it, that has characterized the dominant American attitude of recent years.

I don't know whether Harris paints any more, or whether he merely collects the paintings of others. I haven't, indeed, seen him for a good many years. But I suspect that he continues in his private life to give some expression to the impulse that drew him to Paris. I know that not long ago one of the men associated with him published a volume of poetry, and the reviewers, surviving their surprise at a businessman's doing such a thing, found it of unusual merit.

I have thought of Harris at other times, when I have discovered talent and feeling for the arts among other businessmen. For example, when A. Edward Newton published his "Amenities of Book-Collecting," or when, as has happened in several cities, groups of businessmen have given public exhibitions of their paintings and sculpture.

And I have thought also of the type of intelligence, of imagination, and human insight that has been shown by those who have managed businesses, especially in the past 10 years or more, so that they have supported workmen, supplied public needs, and have made profits ample enough to keep owners and managers satisfied and happy. Somehow, in face of all that has occurred in the past 25 years, with its shattering proof of the fundamental importance of "Business" to nearly all the affairs of social existence, I've wondered whether the choice that Harris was called upon to make while he was lying there in a cast in the college infirmary in 1912 was anywhere near so sordid and dramatic as, at the time, I contemptuously thought that it was.

There have even been times when I would have been glad to have made his sort of decision myself.

EUGENE PHARO.

Outstanding Commentators On Current Events At Home And Abroad

Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler

State Cannibalism

TWO DEVELOPMENTS of the past week indicate that political cannibalism has broken out in Rome and Berlin, where Fascist and Nazi have now decided to devour their own kind.

PEGLER

In Italy the middle class is marked for ridicule, punishment and extinction, and in Germany it is discovered that there are pure Aryans who have the same lust for profits, the same cunning and the same unscrupulousness as attributed to the Jew.

The campaign of ridicule which has been decreed against the Italian middle class will be watched with interest by professional writers in countries where repartee has free play, because under free conditions the one who deals in ridicule must be careful lest his victim top his gag and leave him gaping. Tilting an opponent who is a mere victim without the right to strike back is like working out on the bodybag in the gym and likely to develop the defects of overconfidence and carelessness.

IT IS THE RISK of a return blow that makes for caution and skill in the preparation of material, and it seems highly improbable that the official competition for Italian writers and cartoonists arranged by the Fascist Party will produce the best of which they are capable. In fact, the writers and artists of both Italy and Germany have been developing artistic muscle to the neglect of subtlety and timing, and this new competition is likely to make Italians still more leg-heavy and ponderous. They have forgotten how to duck and have been flattened several times in international repartee by references to Guadalajara—a tender name in Fascist history—and to the Italian persecution of the German minority in the former Austrian territory in connection with Mussolini's support of Hitler's liberation of the oppressed Sudetens.

It was at Guadalajara that the contemptible Communist-Spanish rabble met Mussolini's indomitable Blackshirts, the irresistible instruments of the Duce's inflexible will, in the first real test of Fascist valor under the conditions of modern war.

IN THIS CRITICAL and very embarrassing jam the irresistible legions lost their sense of direction and advanced to the rear with such rapidity that service casualties from trampling were reported to the Duce in Rome. Italian writers and artists avoided the flight of Guadalajara as inopportune, and, when others outside Italy pinked them with it, begged the question to hammer away at the topic of gangsterism, in which, again, they were topped from the outside by citations from the records of history and the American police.

If the Italian middle class is now an enemy of the regime after all these years of Mussolini and fascism that obviously must mean that a great body of genuine Italians—natives with many honors for achievement in art, war and other fields—have resisted fascism, even as the people of the contemptible democracies. It must mean also that many Italians of racial purity, men and women beyond the reproach of alienism or bolshevism—for the middle class is never Communistic—are a worry to the Duce in his own land.

DISPATCHES from Rome report that these people are to be ridiculed as enemies of the Italian nation because they have maintained the old, civilized custom of shaking hands. Without the benefit of counter-propaganda the Italian people may be led to regard this as a menacing evil in their midst, but to outsiders it will indicate that the Duce has become very hard up for internal enemies, having wiped out all aggressive dissent from the left—and is now forced to feed his people's hatred with the gore of their own kin.

The Nazi discovery is less startling, although the admission of it does burn a few pages of the Nazi's own book. It has never been any secret to most Aryans that they are blood brothers in race to unscrupulous men of cunning who lust for profits. It was no secret, either, that the Communists at one time polled a vote ten times the number of the total Jewish population, including children, leaving the conclusion that bolshevism in Germany was overwhelmingly Aryan under free conditions.

BUT HITLER, too, has just about exhausted the original roster of internal enemies, and, like the Duce, is reduced to state cannibalism.

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CAA Hearings Are Set On Air Mail Rate Cases

The Civil Aeronautics Authority has announced dates for hearings on its first domestic and international air-mail rate cases.

The application of Mid-Continent Airlines, Inc., for readjustment of air-mail rates from Minneapolis to Tulsa, Okla., will be considered December 28, and the hearing on rates on Pan-American Airways transpacific route will be investigated January 16.

The Comparative Degree

I have reviewed some of the social problems arising from the changes of the past which were due to research. I have sketched briefly a few of the research jobs yet to be done. I am asking you not to forget either type of problem. For every technical problem solved, a social problem tends to arise. The research man and particularly the industrial leader should keep both in mind and strive for solution.

But, after all this you may ask: Why research, if it brings up all these problems? The answer is, that despite the problems it is a better world than it once was—and because of the researching inquisitive minds of men. It's not a satisfactory world—only better. It's still a rotten world for the average man—and I know what I'm talking about on that score.

Only by research can we really conquer our environment and only by conquering our environment can we make the world a really decent place in which to live.

From an address by Prof. C. C. Furnas, of Yale, before the Industrial Conference of the Purdue (University) Research Foundation.

Text of Landon's Lima Speech

By the Associated Press.

Lima, Peru, Dec. 18.—The text of the speech of Alf M. Landon, a member of the United States delegation to the eighth Pan-American Conference, broadcast to the world today, follows:

In order to meet a problem we must first understand it. We must be willing to face the facts without fear or hesitation and judge them without being blinded by emotion or high-minded desires.

Events in any one of these American states inevitably have consequences in the life of the others. Hence, in speaking to you about the affairs of this region, I am speaking of something certain to affect the course of American life.

There is conflict going on right now within many countries to the south of us. Communism, naziism and fascism are waging vigorous and aggressive campaigns to gain positions of influence and control in our sister republics to the south of the Rio Grande. In this war many instruments are employed: Propaganda for arousing of prejudices of particular groups, and sometimes the use of purposeful economic arrangements. That these are the instruments instead of bayonets does not make it any less real and dangerous to democracies.

Dictators Disregard Profit

What many people do not appreciate is that commerce under completely controlled arrangements has potential meaning and effects far different from those of ordinary private commercial arrangements to which we in the United States are accustomed. Each day drives that fact home more clearly and compels our attention. These controlled states can and many times do disregard private profit calculations and even long-run economic benefits in an effort to extend their political influence or control. This tends in that way to increase the possible area and occasion of diplomatic conflict.

The duty of leadership in the maintenance of democracy plainly devolves in a large measure upon us. We must fulfill this leadership vigorously and fearlessly. I think we can be confident in the long run that neither communism nor naziism is going to succeed anywhere in this hemisphere. The spirit of liberty is too strong. Nevertheless, this struggle of fascism and communism is a matter of great moment to us. Unless we in the United States have become so soft that we no longer are concerned as to whether other countries get a foothold in this hemisphere, the time has come when in common with other American republics we must take account of these activities in a serious and practical way. This means going beyond mere words and gestures.

Pleads for Caution

We need only to review events of Central Europe to see the effectiveness of these new methods of penetration or control when used for aggressive political purposes. Their economic setup has enabled the central powers to get where they are today, even though it be temporary, by monopolizing production and business for political purposes. Toward these changes in Europe in themselves we have no primary responsibility, but observing them, all of us must guard carefully against similar effects in this hemisphere—especially when accompanied by subversive propaganda. We all wish to conduct enlarged trade with all the world, and differences in circumstances produce differences in methods and types of trade. But I suggest we assure ourselves that trade arrangements are just that and nothing more.

In the light of contemporary developments this conference is more than a peace conference. It also is deeply interested in the matter of mutual defense should that become necessary. We are engaged in perfecting a loose and flexible working organization for two purposes: First, to safeguard peace between us, and, second, to enable us to consult with each other on any matter of common interest. In the end, of course, the spirit alone tells. Organization is only an instrument for willing spirits. But I believe our progress in this organization increases our security in the maintenance of the principles of democracy which, now more than ever, the American republics must be prepared to uphold.

Calls Future "Heavy"

Relations of the American Republics are of the greatest importance, and the future is heavy with possibilities directly affecting our economic and political life. All of us in this hemisphere are facing a world which on both sides of us is growing harder and more brutal every day. We Americans—all of us, from Hudson Bay to the Straits of Magellan—have nothing in common with these new tyrannies. We are horrified and shocked by their incredible brutality. We reject the philosophy of these Fascist, Nazi and Communist powers as alien to everything we prize and stand for—to our hopes and ideals for justice and tolerance.

Agents of the totalitarian powers are busy spreading propaganda all over Central and South America to the effect these countries cannot count on the continuity of the policy of the United States. Let me say there is one policy which the people of the United States have pursued for over a century regardless of election results. That policy is that the United States will not tolerate any foreign government gaining a foothold on this continent. And, if I am any judge, there is in evidence here at this conference in Lima the same patriotic determination on the part of our fellow Americans down this way to maintain this independence. A large measure of the credit for a more friendly understanding that now exists between the United States and other American republics is due to the wisdom and patience of Secretary of State Cordell Hull.

We Americans have had our family disputes and may continue to have them, but let me say anyone would be making a great blunder to mistake these differences for disunity, for in the end we will always unite against any outside aggressor.

Need it be said that the United States has nothing to be afraid of? If there is one country that is not directly in the line of fire it is ours. Monroe (President James Monroe, father of the Monroe Doctrine) made it perfectly clear 115 years ago that we would resist any foreign country attempting to establish domination anywhere on the American continent. Never for one moment since have we faltered in that doctrine. This historic policy is not going to be changed no matter what party is in power. I know that in saying this I am speaking for Republicans as well as Democrats, because at home in this matter there is not and will not be any party division.

The United States wishes to live in peace with every country in the world. I believe every other American republic has the same profound desire.

At the meeting here we are trying to make more complete and effective the means of dealing with any controversies and disputes that may arise between us. It would be a most serious matter to have this common political aim disturbed by ambitions or activities of outside countries by which they may believe they stand to gain by causing dissension among us. Rather, it is to be hoped that all other countries outside this hemisphere will unite their policy with ours, as many are now doing. For the bases on which we are building have universal validity as the essentials of friendly and peaceful relations between states.

TVA Investigator Says Group Will Postpone Decision

By the Associated Press.

A Democratic member of the Congressional committee investigating the TVA said privately yesterday that the committee, confident the new Congress would extend its inquiry, had voted to delay a final decison on many controversial matters.

A Republican member of the group, Representative Wolverton, of New Jersey, agreed that the committee had "not completed its investigation to such an extent as to make the report that Congress has a right to expect.

The committee has scheduled witnesses for hearings here until Wednesday, when it will adjourn subject to call by the chairman.

Goodwill Boys Club Hears Aviation Talk

The Boys Club of Goodwill Industries Saturday night heard Capt. Harry L. Smith, pilot for Pennsylvania-Central Airlines Corp., talk on developments in aviation and describe his own experiences at a meeting at "The Dugout," 1218 New Hampshire avenue northwest.

Earlier in the day, a toy sale was held, proceeds from which will be used in purchasing uniforms for the Boys Club baseball team.

On The Record

By Dorothy Thompson

Abuse Of The Air? An Open Letter To Mr. McNinch

Mr. Frank R. McNinch,
Chairman, Federal Communications Commission,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. McNinch: On November 19, 1938, speaking at the Fourth District National Association of Broadcasters Convention at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., you said:

DOROTHY THOMPSON

"Should there ever be an attempt here by anyone to so debase radio as to use it as an instrument of racial or religious persecution, the Communications Commission would employ every resource it has to prevent any such shocking offense. President Roosevelt would, of course, support us to the limit in such a stand. He has consistently sought the safeguarding of radio as an instrument of democracy, never to be used to injure any racial, religious or other group."

This statement of policy will hardly be questioned by any American anxious that this country should avoid the racial agitations which have turned so much of Europe into a shambles. The instinct which prompted you to make such a statement was, we believe, very sound. For this country, being composed of many racial strains, might be peculiarly vulnerable to such agitation should it once start, and our democracy shaken and disturbed by it at a time when it is very necessary that we should display the utmost unity based on the tolerance and good will of each citizen toward all other citizens.

Racial and religious persecution is contrary to the basic concepts and laws of American constitutional government, and is so distasteful to the American mind that time and again in our history, and at this very moment, the President of the United States and the leading spokesmen of all our political parties and of our educational and religious institutions have protested officially and publicly against such persecutions outside our own borders.

IN VIEW OF the policy which you so clearly enunciated a month ago, may I ask whether you have been listening to the broadcasts of Father Coughlin? Have you sent for the records of them? And if you have do they, in your opinion, contribute to the fomenting of "racial or religious persecution?" Do you believe that they serve to "injure any racial, religious or other group?" Whether you feel that they do or do not, you would be rendering a public service, first, to the broadcasting companies, and, second, to the American public, by making a ruling on the matter.

In case they have escaped your attention, may I say that in a somewhat cautious and subtle manner, in a style which is not unfamiliar to me, since I became acquainted with it some years ago when I was living in Germany, Father Coughlin is coupling in his own mind and in the minds of his hearers Judaism with atheism and with communism.

HE HAS TAKEN some of the "facts" to substantiate many of his remarks from a publication called "World Service" which is published in Ehrfurt, Germany, in eight languages, and distributed in this country by numerous agencies, one of them being the "American Nationalist Confederation," which openly calls itself an American Fascist Party and distributes propaganda put at its disposal by the German government.

It would seem to me, in view of your statement of policy last month, to be fitting that the Federal Communications Commission should analyze these broadcasts, the groups that are supporting them and demanding that they be continued on the air and the effect they are having on American public opinion.

I AM AWARE that the Federal Communications Commission is constrained, and rightly so by the act which created it, from consorship.

Nevertheless, it issues or withholds its licenses to broadcasting networks on the basis of whether the radio is serving "the public interest, convenience and necessity." And on several occasions it has been led to reprimand broadcasting companies because of the nature of their programs. We all recall the fact that when Mae West went on the air with a rather ribald script called "The Garden of Eden" the Federal Communications Commission called for records of the program, demanded a hearing, and issued a reprimand to the broadcasting company responsible for the number, and threatened to take it into account in considering the renewal of licenses for all stations that carried it.

At that time you wrote:

"The care which the public has a right to expect, and which is, we understand, the practice in the writing and editing of the manuscripts . . . would seem to exclude the elements of accident and surprise.

"The admittedly objectionable character of these features is, in our opinion, attributable to the lack of a proper conception of the high standard required for a broadcast program intended for reception in the homes, schools, automobiles, religious, social and economic institutions, as well as clubs, hotels, trains and other places, reaching in the aggregate a much larger number of people daily than any other means of communication, and carrying its message to men, women and children of all ages. A clear recognition of the social, civic and moral responsibility for the effect upon listeners of all classes and ages requires such a high standard for programs as would insure against features . . . offensive to the great masses of right-thinking, clean-minded American citizens. . . . The right to continue operation under a license can be justified only so long as public convenience and necessity are served through programs broadcast to the listeners."

Again I should like to ask you: Do you think Father Coughlin's recent broadcasts, in the light of the present situation in the world at large, serve "the public convenience and necessity?"

RECENTLY THE FEDERAL Communications Commission held a hearing on a broadcast of "Beyond the Horizon," a radio program made from the famous play of Nobel Prize winner Eugene O'Neill.

The uttering on the radio of the words "damn" and "hell" awakened the sensibilities of the Federal Communications Commission. Does the Federal Communications Commission believe that these two words are more likely to offend or corrupt any part of the American public than the implications of some of Father Coughlin's broadcasts?

H. G. Wells' mythical invasion from Mars as dramatized on the air led the Federal Communications Commission to call for an explanation. Is an invasion from Mars more to be feared than an invasion of Nazi propaganda?

And, finally, does the Federal Communications Commission believe that the truth or untruth of a statement of fact transmitted over the radio is a matter affecting "public interest, convenience and necessity?"

If it does, then it would seem to me that Father Coughlin's recent broadcasts might be investigated from the viewpoint of whether or not what he has been saying is true, or whether he is disseminating misquotations and misrepresentations. Sincerely yours, DOROTHY THOMPSON.

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The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

Lullaby

The dun-gray road winds in and out
Among the cool green hills,
In quietude is lulled to rest,
The weary spirit stills.

Then thrice repeated comes a call
From hidden woodlands deep,
A simple, softly uttered word,
Serenely gentle . . . "Sleep!"

THEODORA WAYNE.

A Portland (Oreg.) doctor, left to "Portland's medical practitioners and the whole organized medical profession a lusty, rousing belch." This will probably be contested by somebody outside the profession who claims he or she is entitled to a share in the burp.

The doctor also willed "to thieving patients the haphazard care their chiselling tawdriness merits." Which is about tops for a slap at those who always regard the doctor's bill as the last thing to be paid.

Stag Line Salvo

Girls who say, "This dance is taken,"
Should be soundly spanked or shaken.

AVERY L. GILES.

Add Similes: As neglected as a radio star not named in those smuggling scandals.

"Girl Testifies Against Fried Kidnap Suspect."—Headline.

Personally we prefer testifying against a boiled one.

Seabiscuit has been asked to carry 134 pounds in the Santa Anita Handicap. He will yet be asked to carry Mr. Riddle, Kurtsinger and a couple of trunks.

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Off the Record

By Ed Reed

"A foreign peace delegation? Frisk them and send 'em in."

Academy Elects Glasgow, Wilder

New York, Dec. 18 (AP).—Election of Ellen Glasgow, author, and Thornton Wilder, novelist-playwright, to the American Academy of Arts and Letters was announced today by President Nicholas Murray Butler.

Membership limited to 50, chosen only from the National Institute of Arts and Letters, is now full.

Miss Glasgow, the sixth woman elected, will have chair No. 38, vacated April 24 by death of George Grey Barnard, sculptor.

Wilder was elected to chair No. 2, vacated by death, July 21, of Owen Wister.

Books And Things

By Lewis Gannett

The Whalers

A STURDY and satisfying record of sturdy ships is Albert Cook Church's "Whale Ships and Whaling" (Norton, $3.75). Part owner of ten New Bedford whaling ships, the last of which came home to port in 1921, Mr. Church has been photographing the staunch, workmanlike tools of an old-fashioned trade for 40 years; and his book is a sound pictorial record of uncommon historical value.

MR. CHURCH, like a good whaling man, wastes few words. His text briefly recounts the history of the New England whaling ships, particularly of his own home port of New Bedford. (Items: Confederate cruisers in the Civil War caught and burned 28 New Bedford whalers . . . A New Bedford whaler discovered that Howland Island in the south Pacific which Uncle Sam recently reoccupied, occasioning some discussion with John Bull . . . One old New Bedford record book shows that John Milton, ordinary seaman aboard the ship Milton, returned from a several years' cruise in 1844 and received 10 cents as his full share of the profits.)

The pictures make the book. Here the barks, Wanderer, Morning Star, Canton and Charles W. Morgan, the ship Niger; the brigs, Viola and Daisy; the schooner, Mystic, and others lie hove to in their docks, are towed to sea, proudly plow the waves; here appear their whale boats and their oil casks, their compasses, trypots, harpoons, sternboards and figureheads; here are the men at play and at work, cutting in, mincing, trying. And here, at sad last, is the Wanderer on the rocks off Cuttyhunk Island, and here is the Charles W. Morgan, 97 years old (of which Mr. Church was for 20 years a part owner), showing just what this autumn's hurricane did to her in her sand berth on Cape Cod.

It is a record obviously assembled with intense affection.

THEY TRAVELED far, did those old-time whaleboats. But hardly farther than Ed Streeter, author of "Daily—Except Sunday's" (Simon & Schuster, $1.25), who has covered 216,000 miles in the last 17 years, and seldom been more than 30 miles from home. Mr. Streeter is a commuter; his travel story is subtitled "What Every Commuter Should Know."

I have been to Chichicastenango and Ulan-Bator, Reval, Baguio and San Marino, and from Mexican Hat, Utah, to the source of the Saguenay; but I have never commuted. Mr. Streeter's adventure story is appalling to a tenderfoot traveler. His account of the subconscious waking, bathing, orange-juicing of the hardened commuter, of the intensive organization required by a united family to assemble one papa in time for the 8:22, his advice on technique in evading bores and dodging the pedestrian neighbors when you drive to the train, may be useful to amateur commuters, but it is alarming to soft city dwellers.

"Anyone with flexible arteries and not handicapped by too much mentality can learn to commute," says Mr. Streeter. "It requires a few years of apprenticeship, but so do the fine arts or plumbing." Gluyas Williams' drawings add to the impression that commuting is an esoteric art, only for the initiated. I feel incompetent to judge such a book. But I am sure that Mr. Streeter's advice to suburbanite theater-goers is sound. His prescription, after a bit of atrocity propaganda about waiting in draughty stations, is "(a) Drive to town in the car; (b) stay in town all night, or (c) give up the theater."

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The T. V. A. Yardstick

By Ernest K. Lindley

Attacks Declared Unfair

WHAT IS A "power yardstick?" What is it supposed to measure? If the Congressional investigation of TVA, which fizzled four months ago as a revealer of scandal, can shed some light on these questions its time will not have been altogether wasted.

LINDLEY

At present, the word "yardstick" is used in so many different ways in the TVA controversy that it has become meaningless. Out of a mass of confusing statistics, at least one point stands out clearly. When a dam is built for two or three different uses there is no mathematical or engineering formula for determining how much of the total cost should be charged up to one use and how much to the others.

The TVA dam system improves navigation, helps to control floods and produces electricity. Historically and potentially it is bound up with national defense through the nitrate plants at Muscle Shoals. The costs of locks clearly should be charged to navigation. The cost of powerhouses, generating equipment and penstocks clearly should be charged to the production of electricity. But any allocation of the costs of the main structures must be a matter of judgment.

A FORMULA can be adopted. TVA has adopted one. Roughly, it allocates one-half of the cost of the main dam structures to power and the rest to other purposes. Congress might decide that another formula should be used. But there is no way of determining actually how much it costs to generate electricity from a multiple purpose dam or a system of such dams.

There can be, therefore, no accurate yardstick for comparing the production cost of TVA power with the production cost of electricity generated in a steam plant or a dam built exclusively to produce electricity.

The wholesale rate for electricity fixed by TVA averages 5.6 mills per kilowatt hour. That is what TVA charges municipalities and county co-operatives for generating power and transmitting it to them. It does not seem to be much out of line with the wholesale rates charged by privately owned utilities. It probably is a little higher than the wholesale rate that would have to be charged by the most efficient modern steam plants. In 1937 the Alabama Power Co. sold power to other private utilities for resale at 4.8 mills.

TVA IS CHIEFLY a wholesaler of power. Its wholesale rates have been attacked as unfair. But if these rates are approximately the same as those charged by most privately owned utilities, this line of attack collapses. If it were necessary, to remove all doubt about their fairness, TVA's wholesale rates could be increased somewhat without materially affecting the prices paid by the ultimate consumer. For the cost of generating electricity and transmitting it to the gate of a city is only a fraction of the cost of putting it into individual homes.

Up to the point where the electricity leaves the TVA transmission lines and becomes the property of city and co-operative distributing systems, there is no yardstick. But in the retail field it becomes possible to make comparisons between publicly owned and privately owned systems.

The local distribution systems which buy TVA power resell it according to the rate schedules devised by TVA. The rates are very low, and are so scaled as to the use of electricity for cooking, water heating, refrigeration, pumping and other light power purposes. The question then is whether these low rates bring in enough revenue to pay the real costs of distribution. The answer is yes—including depreciation and interest, or its equivalent, on the investment.

IN ADDITION, these retail rates yield enough revenue to compensate for the taxes which private utilities would pay on the same property. And, in most instances, there is a further saving to the municipalities in the form of lower rates for street lighting and other public purposes. These statements are not yet true as applied to the newer wholesale purchasers of TVA power, but they appear to be true as applied to the localities which have had TVA retail rates in effect long enough to build up consumption.

The lowering of prices to increase sales and revenue was not an unknown practice in the electrical utility industry before the days of TVA. But TVA has been forcing the pace. An abundance of evidence presses toward the conclusion that privately owned utilities could make money by selling electricity at the retail rates prescribed by TVA. Leland Olds, executive secretary of the New York State Power Authority, told the investigating committee that if private companies had devoted the same effort to meeting the TVA challenge that they have devoted to attempting to discredit it "they would have found no difficulty at all in meeting the TVA yardstick."

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20 Christmas Parties Planned by Community Chest

More than 20 separate parties, dances and entertainment programs will mark this year's Christmas celebration at Community Chest settlement houses, beginning with decoration of Yule trees early this week and extending through the holiday season until December 30.

Three parties are scheduled for the Barney Neighborhood House Friday. A nursery school entertainment will take place at 3:30 p. m., and a kindergarten age program at 7:30 p. m., while older youngsters will begin caroling their way through the neighborhood at 9 p. m.

The Friendship House Glee Club will sing carols at Providence Hospital at 6:30 p. m. Later the settlement's fireside group will sing at Gallinger Hospital, returning to Friendship House for a party around the Christmas tree.

Children of the Christ Child Settlement House will present an outdoor Christmas pageant in the settlement yard, 608 Massachusetts avenue northeast, at 6 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. on Friday.

Senator Caraway Gives Up Hair-do Like Wallis'

By the Associated Press.

Senator Caraway, of Arkansas, climbed into the chair in the little basement beauty shop of the Senate Office Building Saturday and said, "change it."

So that Wallis Warfield part-in-the-middle is gone in the Senator's black hair. It is now parted on the side, and "right becoming," according to her hairdresser. The back view is the same. Just two soft little buns pinned tight to the neckline.

P. S. for Senator Caraway: Your hairdresser has some other ideas but she is taking it slowly, P. P. S. for the Senator: Don't be too rash. Remember the furore a while back when Mrs. Roosevelt had some side-curls cut.

Business Meetings

Members of the Washington Auto Trade Association will hold a meeting at the Hay-Adams House tonight in the grill room. Members of the American Businessmen's Club will hold a luncheon meeting at the Hay-Adams House Wednesday.

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Woodrings' Supper Climaxes Week-End

Official and Journalistic Notables Attend Buffet Affair at Home of Secretary of War and His Wife

CLIMAXING THE ROUND of parties that crowded the salendar during the Gridiron and "Widiron" dinner week-end, the Secretary of War and Mrs. Harry H. Woodring entertained last evening at a buffet supper at their home on S street.

The dinner started out some time ago to be just a small one, but as the Woodrings asked a few more and then again another couple, they finally discovered they had invited a total of 90 guests.

Scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock, the dinner did just that, in spite of several incidents. Only half an hour before the guests were due to arrive, all the lights went out. In addition to that, the Secretary was away from home making a broadcast.

Nothing daunted, Mrs. Woodring went right ahead with her preparations, and when the hour and the guests arrived the lights were on, the Secretary had returned and the table was a perfectly appointed banquet board.

Six Turkeys Load Buffet

In the center of the dining table was a large silver bowl brimming with dark red roses and flanked with white candles. Six turkeys, ham, creamed corn, baked apples, and all the delicious savories that accompany them filled the buffet.

After being served the guests seated themselves in groups at small tables. Not the least of the delights of the evening was the fact, as one of the guests remarked, that this was one party where there were plenty of ashtrays.

Mrs. Woodring was gowned in green taffeta, which was cut on princess lines, and trimmed with coque feathers. The sleeves of the dress, which were three-quarter length, were tight at the elbow and wide at the shoulders.

After the dinner, small groups of guests collected in the drawing room, music room and library. Political gossip filled the air, with more and more rumors of Senator Bennett Champ Clark and Senator Arthur Vandenberg as Presidential nominees. Someone even suggested that the next President ought to be a woman and that Mrs. Vandenberg would very nicely fill the bill.

Bennett Clarks Among Guests

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood Robert, jr., Mrs. Robert gowned in black velvet. She and Mr. Robert will leave today for Florida to spend the Christmas holidays there.

Others among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jouett Shouse, Senator and Mrs. Bennett Champ Clark, Arthur Krock, Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Waltman, Gov. Frank Murphy of Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Essary, and Mr. and Mrs. William McCracken. John Hamilton was entirely surrounded.

Also noted among the guests were the former Governor of North Carolina and Mrs. O. Max Gardner, and the newly appointed president of the Gridiron Club, Raymond Clapper and Mrs. Clapper.

Still others were Mr. and Mrs. Walker Buel, Justice and Mrs. Stanley Reed, Mrs. James Helm, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Donnell, Col. and Mrs. Edwin Watson, and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hurja, she wearing a toast colored chiffon frock trimmed with lace. Still others were Col. and Mrs. Alexander O. Surles, Mrs. Edward Everett Gann, gowned in pale blue; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hayden, Mr. and Mrs. Gould Lincoln, Mrs. Granger Blair, and Mr. and Mrs. James L. Wright.

Horinouchis at Carlton

The new Japanese Ambassador, Kensuke Horinouchi, and his wife, Mme. Horinouchi, who arrived in Washington over the week-end, are staying at the Carlton Hotel temporarily before moving into the Embassy.

Pastorizas Supper Guests

Honoring the Dominican Minister and Senora de Pastoriza, the Gautemalan Minister and Senora de Recinos entertained at a buffet supper last evening at the legation on Eighteenth street. There were 90 guests.

Christmas flowers decorated all the rooms, with poinsettias, red cornations, white chrysanthemums and red roses carrying out the color scheme.

Senora Recinos, wearing red velvet, was assisted in receiving the guests by her two daughters, Senoritas Laura and Beatriz Recinos. The former was gowned in flowing yellow chiffon made on princess lines. With this she wore a bright blue sequin jacket and a tiny skullcap of matching sequins. Senorita Beatriz Recinos wore a raspberry slipper satin gown with a shirred bodice and a voluminous hoopskirt.

Senorita Pastoriza was gowned in royal blue cannon crepe, with a draped bodice and a flaring skirt.

Earle Calhouns Give Tea to Honor Mme. Dreszer

Complimenting Mme. Gustav Orlicz-Dreszer, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Clark Calhoun entertained at a studio tea yesterday afternoon in their apartment at the La Salle.

Mrs. Calhoun, who is Polish, wore her national colors of red and white, a red velvet tea gown to which were pinned white gardenias. The whole apartment was decorated in a profusion of red and white flowers and from a balcony was draped a large white Spanish shawl, which was embroidered in red roses.

Mme. Orlicz-Dreszer was attired in an accordion pleated black gown with a gold belt and gold trim. With this she wore an orchid corsage.

Among the guests were Prince Alexis Badmaninoff, Col. and Mrs. Andrzej Chramiec, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fay, Miss Jessie McBride, Mrs. Arthur Smith, Edgar Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Abner Drury, Col. and Mrs. Brady G. Ruttencutter, Col. and Mrs. Osmun Latrobe, Maj. and Mrs. McKenzie Davidson, Mrs. C. C. Calhoun, Col. and Mrs. Robert Patterson, Miss Margaret Rowe, Miss Elvina Rowe, Mrs. James McKane, Robert Horner, and Mr. and Mrs. William Shearer.

Hagerstown Pastor's Daughter Engaged

The Rev. Dr. William Samuel Hess and Mrs. Hess, of Hagerstown, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret Hess, to William MacDonald Hurst, of Media, Pa., a member of the Physics staff at Duke University.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Catawba College, Salisbury, N. C., and did graduate work at Duke. Date of the wedding has not been set.

Will Marry Week From Today

Mrs. Francis King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Johnston, of Scarsdale, N. Y., formerly of Falls Church, who will be married on December 26 in Scarsdale to John Alden Gage, of Washington. Following a southern cruise, they will make their home in Washington, where Mr. Gage is connected with the Department of Justice

The Hunt Country

By Nina Carter Tabb

MISS MARGARET BYRD will be in Richmond today as the guest of Miss Lelia Leigh and this evening will attend a party at which Miss Anne Sloane will be presented to society. Tomorrow Miss Byrd will go to Baltimore, where she will visit Mrs. Walter Pinkard and attend the Princeton Triangle Club's play.

Whirling back to Richmond she will attend several parties Wednesday and then will commute to Baltimore for the large dinner to be given for Miss Bobbie Conrad, another Virginia deb.

Friday she will be in Washington, joining Mrs. Richard E. Byrd. They will stay with Senator and Mrs. Harry Byrd.

December 26 at Richmond, she will be honored at a cocktail party by Mr. and Mrs. John Clifford Miller.

MR. AND MRS. Oliver Iselin, of Middleburg, have issued cards for a reception to be given from 4 to 7 p. m. Christmas Day in honor of Miss Nancy Iselin. Then, on December 29, Miss Iselin will be hostess at a large dinner before the dance that Mr. and Mrs. Robert McConnell will give for their debutante daughter, Miss Mildred McConnell. The ball will take place at the North Wales Club.

Miss Iselin has just returned to her parents' home, Wolver Hill, after a debutante whirl in New York, Philadelphia and Richmond. Thursday evening she attended the diplomatic reception at the White House in Washington. After that, with Miss Eleanor Flood, she went to the Cafe Caprice, where Miss Peggy Townsend, another bud of the season, appeared in a program of songs. Among those up from the hunt country to hear Miss Townsend were Miss Polly Montague, Miss Rosalie Montague, Mrs. Louis E. Jeffries, Mrs. Walter Fred, Frank Littleton, Charles Abbott, Charles Peace and Dr. Redford Brown.

MISS DAISY GARTH and Elliot Fishburn, of Charlottesville, will be married Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. William Garth. There will be a reception afterwards. The ceremony will be witnessed only by immediate members of the families and a few intimate friends.

HUNTING LOG

TODAY'S MEETS

Virginia

Blue Ridge Hounds, The Glen, 10 a. m.

Middleburg Hunt, Philomont, 10 a. m.

Warrenton Hunt, The Kennels, 1 p. m.

Maryland

Elkridge-Harford Hunt, Green's Bridge, 11 a. m.

Miss Kent Will Fete Jane Harden

Miss Eleanor Clark Kent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Edwin Kent, has issued invitations for a small tea which she will give on January 1 in honor of Miss Jane Harden, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. A. C. Harden, of the Philippine Islands.

Miss Harden is attending William and Mary College and will divide her time during the Christmas vacation between Washington and Baltimore.

Another fete to be given for Miss Harden is a reception by Miss Lora Marie Hoover, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Hoover, at their California street home on December 28.

Club One Hundred Gives Tea Dance

The Club One Hundred entertained at a tea dance yesterday afternoon at the Heigh-Ho Club.

Among the patronesses for the event were Mrs. Demarest Lloyd, Mrs. Lawrence A. Baker, Countess Cassini, Senora de Zuberbuhler, Mrs. Harry Grant Meem, Mrs. Edward B. McLean, jr., Mrs. Wallach Merriam, Mrs. Effingham Townsend, Mrs. Lawrence Townsend and Mrs. Arthur J. White.

E. F. Colladays Mark 40th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Francis Colladay celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary yesterday afternoon with an at home to which over 200 guests were invited.

Since it was the ruby anniversary, friends had sent red roses and poinsettias until the house was massed with them. Mrs. Colladay wore a teal blue crepe tea frock and a corsage of chartreuse and bronze orchids.

Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. Herbert Hall, Mrs. Arthur B. Crane, Mrs. Anne C. Blake, Mrs. David C. Colladay, and Mrs. John G. Lynn, of Cumberland, Md.

The couple's three sons, Stephen F. Colladay, Edward E. Colladay and David C. Colladay, were all present.

Mizrachi Will Hear Rabbi Silverstone Talk

Rabbi Harry Silverstone, of Tifereth Israel Congregation, will address the Junior Mizrachi, Washington Chapter, Wednesday at 8 p. m. at the Westchester Apartments. Mrs. Lena Weiss will be hostess.

Commemorating the festival of Chanukah, candles will be lighted by the Rev. Louis Novick. Mrs. Esther Tolmach will give the opening prayer, and discussion will follow Rabbi Silverstone's talk.

Prospective members will be guests at the meeting. Mrs. Doris Taishoff is president of the Washington Chapter of Junior Mizrachi.

French Naval Attache Postpones Party

A tea the Naval Attache of the French Embassy and Mme. Pierre Benech were to have given tomorrow has been postponed until Thursday.

Commander Benech was called out of town on business.

Mrs. Keyes' Novel, 'Parts Unknown,' Sold for Movie

Barbara Stanwyck and Irene Dunn both have been mentioned as possible leading ladies for the motion picture which will be made from Frances Parkinson Keyes' latest novel, "Parts Unknown."

The film rights for this story of life in the American diplomatic service have recently been purchased, and production is expected to get under way in the near future.

Last spring, when the book was launched at a tea given by Mrs. George Barnett, scores of notables attended, including Mrs. Roosevelt. Authoress of many books, Mrs. Keyes has been for many years a contributor to the outstanding magazines of the country.

D. C. Newspaperman Weds New York Girl

Now in the South on their wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. John Merritt Fisher will make their home in Washington.

The former Miss Marie New, of New York City, is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James E. New, of Dublin, Ga. Dr. New is past president of the Georgia Medical Association.

The wedding took place on Friday afternoon at Christ Church, Alexandria. The Rev. Ernest A. de Bordenave officiated at the 4 o'clock ceremony.

Mrs. Fisher was graduated from Wesleyan College, Macon, Ga., did postgraduate work at the University of California and Emory University, and has also traveled extensively abroad. Before her marriage she was assistant to the director of public relations of the New York City cancer committee. Previously she was employed in the office of Senator Hiram Johnson, of California.

Mr. Fisher is the son of Mrs. Erma Fisher Naill, of Hanover, Pa. He attended Gettysburg College and was graduated from Northwestern University. He is a member of the Phi Gamma Delta Club of New York City and the National Press Club.

He is on the staff of the Chicago Tribune and was located previously in the New York bureau and the financial editorial department in Chicago.

Miss Rawalt Gives Tea and Reception

Miss Marguerite Rawalt entertained yesterday afternoon with a tea and reception at the Admiral Club. Assisting her were Miss Helen Newman, Miss Mary M. Connelly, Miss Elizabeth F. Reed, Miss Helen Goodner and Miss Katherine Markwell.

Alternating at the tea tables during the afternoon were Mrs. Grace Brown Stiles, Assistant United States Attorney; Miss Dorothy Love, of Dallas, Tex.; Miss Beatrice Clephane, director of the Legal Aid Bureau; Mrs. Lewis B. Moulton, Miss Annie Perry Neal, Miss Claire Beckham and Mrs. Aline F. Stillwell.

Senator and Mrs. Byrd Here for Week-End

Senator and Mrs. Harry Flood Byrd are at the Shoreham for the week-end. They will return early this week to their home in Berryville, Va., and, after Christmas, will move back to the Shoreham, where they resided the last Congressional season.

Senator Byrd came to the Capital for the Gridiron party last evening.

Trio of Parties Keeps Capital's Debs Busy

Misses White, Gudger And Wrightson Are Feted by Friends

The holiday whirl is definitely under way, and with three of the current season's debutantes being honored simultaneously yesterday afternoon, their sister debs were in a continual dither rushing from one to another of the parties.

Dr. and Mrs. William Thornwall Davis entertained from 5 to 7 in compliment to Miss Mary Alice White, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Stanley White, at their home on Lowell street, for a party of about 100.

Mrs. Davis wore a gown made with a gold lame top and a black crepe skirt in princess style with long sleeves. With this she wore a corsage of gardenias. Miss White was in red velvet with an orchid corsage.

Assisting were Miss Lalla Harrison, Miss Marjorie Sherley and Miss Anne Underwood. Red gladioli, poinsettias, red candles and Christmas decorations were the decorative motif.

Miss Wrightson Also Honored

At those same hours Commander and Mrs. Harold Nelson gave a party for Miss Aileen Wrightson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Dougherty Wrightson.

Assisting Mrs. Nelson in receiving were Mrs. Wrightson, Miss Wrightson, Miss Vivien Nelson, daughter of Commander and Mrs. Nelson, and Mrs. William Carey Cole. Mrs. Cole, who arrived yesterday from her home in Sarasota, Fla., will be a house guest, for the holidays, of Commander and Mrs. Nelson. She was gowned in petunia crepe with a corsage of matching roses.

Miss Wrightson wore a white moire gown, in an off-the-shoulder model with a full skirt, and a corsage of orchids. Mrs. Wrightson was in a chiffon gown of talisman roses.

The hostess wore an American beauty crepe gown, fashioned with a jacket and a corsage of roses to match. Her daughter was in a flowered taffeta gown made with a white background. It was an old-fashioned model with a tight bodice, full skirt and puffed sleeves.

The Christmas spirti was emphasized in the decorations, which were holly, red roses, mistletoe and red and white candles. At the tea table were Mrs. Frank Leighton, Mrs. Russell Crenshaw, Mrs. George Rood, Mrs. Harold Bowen, Mrs. Emmet Gudger, Mrs. Felix Gygax, Mrs. Katherine Birney Strong and Mrs. Leonhard Stejneger.

Assisting were Mrs. Lindsay Fitch of Warrenton, Mrs. Roger Gabriel, sister of Miss Wrightson; Mrs. Inga Miller, Miss Ragna Anderson, and Miss Ann Franklin.

Miss Gudger Entertained

The third party was that given by Miss Suzanne Kappler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Kappler, for Miss Eleanor Gudger, daughter of Captain and Mrs. Emmet C. Gudger.

It was a more informal affair with no special assistants. Miss Kappler was attired in fuschia frock with a bead trim, made with puffed sleeves and a modified hoop skirt. With it she wore a corsage of pink camelias.

Miss Gudger wore a gown of black crepe with a tiny black hat and carried a matching muff to which were pinned two white camelias.

Mrs. Kappler was gowned in silver lame. Among the many guests were noted Miss Lalla Harrison, Miss Nancy Davis, Miss Catherine Tilghman, Miss Barbara Bolling, John Gwynn and Sterling Bolling.

Legation Party Today

Today being St. Nicholas Day, the name day of his parents, the Minister of Yugoslavia, Constantin Fotitch, will celebrate it according to an old Serbian custom. He will receive his countrymen in Washington at the Legation on Sixteenth street this afternoon.

Society Stops at Shouses' Tea During Day-Long Whirl Here

T. F. McAllisters, in Alexandria, and Mrs. Arthur Forbush Are Also Hosts After Gridiron and 'Widiron' Fetes

Parties took place all over town yesterday afternoon in a gala aftermath of the Gridiron dinner at the Willard and the "Widiron" party at the White House. Society traveled from Washington to Alexandria and then back to Washington again attending teas, receptions and cocktail fetes.

One of the largest of these affairs was given by Mr. and Mrs. Jouett Shouse at their home in Georgetown. Mrs. Shouse looked unusually dashing in a scarlet Russian tunic worn over a floor-length black velvet skirt. Elaborate embroidery trimmed the sleeves and high collar of the tunic.

Guests chatted through the drawing room decorated with huge vases of lilies and out into the dining room, where the table was centered with roses flanked with tall candles.

Cross-Section of Society Present

As usual at the parties given by Mr. and Mrs. Shouse, one saw a real cross-section of society—Congressional, residential and official. Glimpsed here and there at the tea were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lippmann, the Assistant Attorney General and Mrs. Thurman Arnold, she wearing a black frock and a veiled tricorn hat; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Richberg, the latter in brown; Senator and Mrs. William H. King, Justice and Mrs. Stanley Reed, Arthur Krock, chatting with a group of newspapermen, and Mr. and Mrs. Duke Shoop.

Over in Alexandria, Justice and Mrs. Thomas F. McAllister were also "doing the honors" at Holland House, which they leased this season from Mrs. Bernice Fleming Holland. An ideal setting for a party and one of the most attractive homes in this part of the country, Holland House was literally jammed to the doors.

Mrs. McAllister, who is head of the women's dviision of the National Democratic Committee, was gowned in a gold crepe dress which set off to perfection her soft brown hair. New Dealers and Old Dealers flocked to the tea.

Lilies Decorte Holland House

Dark carnations and rubrum lilies decorated the various rooms, and in the dining room the oval table which once belonged to Catherine the Great of Russia was centered with pink roses and four tall candles.

Assisting Mrs. McAllister during the afternoon were Mrs. J. Fred Essary, Mrs. Clifford Durr, Mrs. May Thompson Evans and Mrs. John Herrick.

On hand for the party were the Secretary of War and Mrs. Harry H. Woodring, the Attorney General and Mrs. Homer S. Cummings, the Solicitor General and Mrs. Robert H. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Houghteling, Gov. Frank Murphy, of Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Andrews, Mrs. Nellie Tayloe Ross, Lowell Mellett, accompanied by his stepdaughter Mrs. Dexter Keezer and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sifton.

Also Col. and Mrs. Charles Beatty Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Diggs, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hurd, Judge and Mrs. Harry Blair and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Newell Blair; Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hamilton, Mrs. Ellen Woodward, Dr. and Mrs. David Cushman Coyle, Dr. and Mrs. Henry F. Grady, Mrs. Benton McMillin, Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Gruening, Miss Emma Bugbee, Miss Kathleen McLaughlin, of New York who came down for the White House Widiron party, and many, many others.

Miss Thoompson Guest of Honor

Another event on yesterday's calendar was the eggnog party given by Mrs. Arthur Forbush for Miss Thompson, well known authoress and actress, and a former classmate of Mrs. Forbush at Vassar. Miss Thompson, another out-of-towner, who attended the Widiron event, has been the house guest over the week-end of Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, jr., wife of the Secretary of the Treasury.

Mrs. Forbush's Georgetown home was decorated with holly and poinsettas, and the important eggnog bowl was surrounded by a miniature forest of silver leaves.

The hostess was attired in royal blue velvet, while Miss Thompson wore a black corded silk dress, trimmed with hyacinth blue sleeves and accents of gold embroidery. Mrs. John R. Weyrich, cousin of Mrs. Forbush, assisted.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Stanley-Brown, Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Greuning, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ten Eyck, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Wollner, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armstrong and many others.

Miss Thomason Wed at El Paso

A wedding of interest to their many friends in Washington was that of Miss Isabelle Thomason, of El Paso, Tex., and H. Ben Decherd of Dallas Saturday evening at the Church of St. Clement at El Paso. The Rev. Dubose Murphy officiated at the 8 o'clock ceremony. The bride is the daughter Representative and Mrs. Robert Ewing Thomason, of El Paso.

Given in marriage by her father, she wore a gown of magnolia slipper satin, trimmed with dushess lace. She carried a white prayer book, orchids and a shower of lilies of the valley.

Miss Lorna Hume of Houston was maid of honor and Mrs. James T. Clark, El Paso, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Janet Pilcher of San Angelo, Miss Martha Wiggins of San Antonio, Miss Carolyn Potter of Dallas, Miss Orell Gambrell of El Paso, Mrs. Thomas D. Anderson of Houston and Mrs. Emmet P. Crow, also of Houston. All attendants wore magnolia taffeta dresses and doll hats with ostrich plumes. They carried red-tinted calla lilies.

Harvey Penland of Dallas was best man and ushers were John Harris, Charles Seay, Lewis Grinnan, Robert Dupree, all of Dallas; Hugh Ferguson of Amarillo; Robert Smith of Victoria and William E. Thomason.

Following the ceremony there was a reception at the Paso del Norte Hotel.

The bride attended National Cathedral School for Girls here and later was graduated from the University of Texas. Mr. Decherd, a graduate of the University of Texas is on the staff of the Dallas News. The couple will make their home in Dallas.

Representative and Mrs. Thomason live at the Kennedy-Warren while in Washington and will arrive here the first of the year for the session of Congress. It is expected that Mr. and Mrs. Decherd will visit them this winter.

Trinity Alumnae Hold Child Christmas Party

The Trinity College Alumnae Association held its annual party for the children of the alumnae yesterday. John Friant was the Santa Claus who presented each tot with a gift. Afterward there was a tree in the college social hall.

Miss Catherine Friant was general chairman of the children's party, and was assisted by Miss Mary Virginia Burke, toy committee; Miss Marie Dimond, financial committee; Miss Margaret Collins, entertainment committee; Miss Mary Virginia McMahon, refreshment committee, and Mrs. Robert Wilson, publicity chairman.

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F at Fourteenth

Mary Haworth's Mail

Books and Flowers Called Least Desirable of Christmas Gifts From Midshipman to Sweetheart

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: (Or should I say "Granny" Haworth)? It is true your picture looks as though you might have been born in this century, but your remarks of December 14 to "Bewildered Plebe," anent "presumptuously intimate" Christmas presents, certainly date you as pre-Civil War. Or is it just that your early popularity has made you so cocky that you no longer bother to keep in touch with modernity?

I challenge you to ask any ten young persons you wish—the ten best bred, best brought-up young girls and young men you know—whether they consider perfume, clips, charm bracelets, etc., gloves, hose, etc., as "presumptuously intimate" gifts, and also whether the girls would not infiintely prefer such offerings to books and flowers. Flowers—that quickly fade and are thrown out and forgotten. Books—the most dangerous of all gifts—the one thing on which almost no two tastes agree.

Of course, in YOUR day, dear Miss Haworth, probably men and girls did read Ruskin and Emerson together; and no doubt you looked up starry-eyed at the man and told him how "sincere" the sage was, and how you "adored" the Idylls of the King. You could be pretty sure, that way, of getting the book you wanted. But you would be surprised how many other things young persons talk about nowadays, besides their favorite authors.

I read a good deal, but doubt very much that a single man I know would select a book I really cared for as my present—unless, of course, I had done some pretty heavy hinting in advance. Or was that your idea—that men should give girls the most useless and undesired articles they could think of, lest something they wanted should prove "presumptiously intimate?" Or—Oh! What's the use? I can only hope that my boy friends don't read The Post; and can only add, to you—"Be THIS age, Miss Haworth, be THIS age." M. C.

Gadgets With Crests

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: Your answer to "Bewildered Plebe," in last Wednesday's Post, was excellent if applied to a college lad, but all wrong for a midshipman or cadet, according to my ideas. Twelve years ago my husband might have been the same "Bewildered Plebe." Girls going with midshipmen or cadets today are no different than they were in 1926, and especially if they have ever gone to a "hop" at the Point or Academy. I know, for I've been to both.

I counted the days until Christhas, heping I would get something with a Navy or class seal, and although I did get lovely flowers, I did want something to take back to school to show the girls. At the midshipmen's stores, and various other stores in Annapolis, "Bewildered Plebe" could find many things with a Navy or class seal. To list a few—a leather book cover, cover or book marker in blue leather with gold seal; a desk set, a wallet, a compact with the seal, many varieties of pins (my choice), a bracelet, earrings, compact, cigarette case, a miniature leather belt with buckle (just like his) in white or black.

Since I've been married, I have chaperoned many girls who have come down to the hops, and it is always with the greatest of pleasure that they have shown me their trinkets, with either the Navy or class seal.

NAVY WIFE.

Apologies and Pledge

DEAR CORRESPONDENTS: One of my next-of-kin, a poised, self-contained young person, observes and advocates a valiant maxim of conduct, to-wit: "Never explain. Your friends don't need it and your enemies won't believe it." An excellent precept, in my opinion, and one I have had occasion to note, which greatly simplifies existence for him who consistently practices it. However, I am about to fly in the face of this somewhat autocratic rule for bland behavior, and do a bit of explaining—in the hope of invoking a better (if belated) understanding between myself and certain flabbergasted members of my audience.

The truth of the matter (which I had naively supposed would be as luminously clear to readers' insight as to mine) is that "Bewildered Plebe's" letter was indited in a spirit of harmless devilry rather than heavy dubiety—possibly even in collaboration with, or at the suggestion of, a coterie of frolicsome friends—and that my counter remarks were designed, both as to form and content, to fit the same serio-comic mold.

It is not often that I yield to the impulse to introduce irony, comedy, subtlety or good-humored mockery into a column essentially so serious as this—insistent and ever-present though the temptation to do so may be—and I am inexpressibly sorry that the innocuous by-play implicit in the disputed interchange should have caught two valued correspondents off guard, so to speak. Please accept my apologies, and my pledge to adhere more closely in future to a strictly literal give-and-take. And in an aside to "Bewildered Plebe" and his cronies, I might say: We, at least, understand each other—do we not?

M.H.

Miss Haworth will be glad to help you in solving your problems. Write her in care of The Post Woman's Page.

Paper Sheets on Market; Last Four Nights

By Elizabeth MacRae Boykin.

The other day I saw some sheets that took my eye—white percale, they were, with appliqued hems of soft pink. Then a row of tulips in white over the pink—the stems that reached down over the white were pink (as illustrated). Then below were plain embroidered monograms.

Another pair of sheets that I liked in the same collection had big appliqued monograms of Scotch plaid cotton. Wouldn't that be elegant for a masculine room? Especially if you should make a quilt of the same plaid (for there's no law that quilts have to be pieced)—plenty of materials in gay patterns make lovely quilts, you know.

Very fastidious, indeed, are sprigged percale sheets. Colored percale sheets are by no means out, while sheets with colored borders are still quite popular. You can buy lovely sheets with scalloped, hemstitched or feather-stitched hems if you don't feel up to doing that work yourself. For that matter you can buy sheets with your own initial or monogram at surprisingly reasonable cost.

And when are silken texture sheets coming into the picture? I think it's high time we started agitating for sheets that are easier to launder than the heavy muslin ones we use mostly nowadays. Remember what a boon it was to change from muslin underwear to the silken textures? Patriotically speaking, this new sheeting ought to be made of some fabrication or by-product based on cotton, so we hope the cotton chemists will get busy on some new material that's easier to wash.

Have you heard of the new paper sheets? They're quite something and should be very revolutionary. They're finished in style with hemstitched hems and everything. They'll last four nights and then—no laundry to bother about. Bring them out . . . I'll try anything once!

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Christmas Gift for Permanent Beauty

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A Woman's New York

By Alice Hughes.

New York, Dec. 18.

THE VISIT of Capt. Anthony Eden, the handsomest former cabinet minister in British history, caused a great stir in our little cross-roads. The town was predisposed to like him, and it did. I was among the 4,500 diners who packed the Waldorf ballroom to hear him discourse on the problems now facing democracy all over the world, and I got a tremendous belt out of that star-spangled affair. I thought he re-affirmed the old things well.

ALICE HUGHES

Next day, of course, he was off to the races, in tow of the mayor and other noted elbow-pushers. So while the dashing captain was peering at housing projects and world's fairs and things, I sort of concentrated on Mrs. Eden. She's slender, black-haired and blue-eyed, and she has the longest eyelashes ever seen outside a Hollywood makeup kit. She says she's glad her husband is now out of office, since his current joblessness permitted the trip to America. As soon as her helpmate had started off to look at things, she girded herself for a good old shopping tour on the Avenue, accompanied by Lady Hinchingbrooke and her younger brother. And, of course, she behaved just like any other eager visitor to our famous shops, several of which she entered. She was wearing a black pebbled cloth coat trimmed with mink, a pill box hat and a corsage of gardenias. And what did she buy, pray? Precisely what every other European visitor goes for—a huge supply of our incomparable American silk stockings! Yes, ma'm!

She confided to me that she hoped to visit a nightclub or two, and I hope she got the chance, in their frantic schedule. She wanted to see Jack Rockefeller's 65-story Rainbow Room, for instance. Who doesn't? I want you to know that there's as fine a looking pair of people as ever marched in double harness, those Edens. Of course, Britain will wish a government job on him soon. But right now his lady wife is reveling in her freedom!

GIRL ABOUT TOWN—A confirmed luncher-out for business reasons, I topped myself the other day by sitting down at table with Sailor, who is a four-year-old chimpanzee and belongs to Mr. Frank Buck. This odd meal was part of a big store's Christmas promotion, but that did not decrease the bizarre pleasure. Mr. Sailor has droll tastes at table, which run to olives from martini glasses and to holly berries from Christmas wreaths. For exercise, after a hearty stuffing of these exotic foods, Master Sailor climbed up and down the costly drapes at Charles' nice restaurant, while the head waiter threw a quiet fit. It was a nice party, but no man or woman alive can drink enough martinis to keep Sailor in olives. He'd better get 'em out of a bottle . . .

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Health for Holiday Fun Should Be Insured Now

By Ida Jean Kain.

Those ominous warnings that there are just so many more days until Christmas always give us an uneasy feeling. We had a flash of it back in the middle of October when Mrs. Roosevelt wrote that she had purchased a few presents. But it all seemed a long way off, and instead of following her example we just thought how wonderful it would be to go back to the days when Christmas meant candy and nuts and an orange in the toe of your stocking, and maybe, if times were good, a quarter, too.

At this point the thing that takes the joy out of life is to have a friend announce that she got everything over with weeks ago, cards and all . . . because she probably took weeks to do it, and here we are with only a few days left. You probably have enough to do to keep busy 18 hours a day, and there is not a word on your list of reminders about vitamin capsules, orange juice, or enough sleep.

With all you've got to do, you couldn't be bothered with such trivialties. But this final frenzy of preparations is enough to lower the vitality of a prize rhinoceros—and that's when the cold bug bites you. A cold is bad enough at any time, but during Christmas it is a calamity. Not even Hedy LaMarr could look lovely or have any fun with swollen features and the sniffles.

Busy as you are, a few ounces of prevention are in order. Stop at the corner drugstore and get some vitamin A and D capsules. Vitamin A frequently is called the anti-infective vitamin, since a deficiency of it lowers the resistance of the body to such an extent that the respiratory tract is more susceptible to infection. Vitamin D is the sunshine vitamin, and it's what you take in place of a trip to sunny lands. Take one of these capsules daily, and, in addition, drink your fruit juice for vitamin C, which is one of the most important factors in positive health and sweet disposition.

Usually you can count on getting these vitamins in food, but in the rush of the next few days you are apt to either skip meals or to overeat . . . Nobody ever overeats of the fruits, vegetables, milk, etc., that form the protective food list, and in either case it is a good idea to supplement your diet with the vitamin concentrates.

To be effective, your preventive measures must include at least six glasses of water a day, some exercise in the open air, and some sleep. Nothing can keep your vitality up when you get overly tired day after day. Try to get to bed early two nights this week. You will get more done.

Colds are contagious, so stay out of stuffy, crowded, overheated places as much as you can . . . and if you linger under the mistletoe, don't let the cold bug get you!

Humblest, Most Troublesome; That's Locomotor System

By Logan Clendening, M. D.

IN OUR review of the different systems of the body which we have been conducting for the past few weeks, we now come to the humblest of all and perhaps the most troublesome. This is the locomotor system—the lowly wheels of our bodily chariot which haul us about and sit us down and reach out for the needs of life.

Subservient as it is, it is nevertheless a most complicated system. The different organs that go to make it up are bones, muscles, tendons, joints and the fine joint-like surfaces that are interposed between the tendons and the bones, the bursae. All of them are subject to trouble of every sort, and since they are surrounded by a most complicated network of nerves, all these troubles are intensely painful.

More than any other system in the body, the locomotor system is subject to injury. Fractures and dislocations, and torn tendons and muscles lie in wait for all of us.

At this Christmas season, when we are all rushing helter-skelter about, thinking of a thousand and one things in connection with the season, it behooves us all to go a little slowly and think about falls and slips. If it has not already occurred, ice and sleet are liable to be along any minute, an especial danger to middle-aged and elderly people.

I saw a little fellow about two years old take a dive off a low terrace and fall full length on the sidewalk today as I was taking my walk.

"See here, my young buckaroo," I said, "somebody ought to watch out for you and see that you don't hurt yourself."

"Oh! he's tough," said his mother, who had her back to him at the time and seemed to resent my warnings. "He can take it."

Yes, he's been able to take it up to now, but he may launch himself off of something too high one of these days and then it won't be so matter of course.

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The Gentler Sex

By Malvina Lindsay

Something for a Dollar

The perennial problem of the $1 Christmas present has at last been solved. Mrs. Henrietta de Goofey, president of the founder of the Do Something About It League announced yesterday that her organization had awarded its prize for the best suggestion for "what everybody is seeking—the perfect $1 gift."

"Our award," said Mrs. Goofey, "goes to Mr. Sylvanus Mackerel Chubb, who has made a suggestion that will greatly simplify—and perhaps revolutionize—Christmas shipping. Mr. Chubb nominates as the ideal $1 present a $1 bill.

Time to Relax

"Mr. Chubb proposes that all Christmas shoppers who are now on the verge of nervous prostration from their futile search for something 'unusual, different and bound to please,' within the $1 limit, simply go home, soak their feet in hot water and mail to all their friends and relatives crisp—or even noncrisp—$1 bills.

"Mr. Chubb's suggestion won the unanimous approval of the judges and I am now forwarding to him our prize—a beautiful pair of home-made fancy garters."

Exit "Sugar Daddies"

"Our league meantime has been working on another Christmas problem—that of eliminating men shoppers from the downtown scene. They are slow, stupid, fatuous, devoid of direction sense, generally helpless and an unmitigated nuisance. Moreover, it is a dead certainty they are all out buying hapless women things they do not want nor need. Our league maintains that they should be sent back to their offices where they belong and should give their secretaries and stenographers time off to go out and do the shopping—with, of course, a commission of perfume or flowers.

"Finally I wish to state that Do Something About It League is planning another drastic reform—that of New Year's eve—details of which will be announced later."

The Liberal

It's strange how wild-eyed some people are,
Especially take the radical crowd,
I'm extremely broad. I could see their points.
If only they wouldn't yell so loud.

It's strange how stuffy some people are,
Especially take the Tory set,
Now I'm very objective, but I think
They're the dullest people I ever met.

Menus For Today

By Alice Clayton.
The Post Food Editor.

(Meals utilizing week-end leftovers.)

BREAKFAST
Chilled mixed fruit juices
Omelet filled with minced bacon and beef livers
Browned potato pancakes
Apple jelly Hot coffee
Milk for children

LUNCHEON
Hot fish chowder
Toasted buttered corn bread squares
Tossed mixed vegetable salad
Sour cream dressing
Fresh fruit punch

DINNER
Hot tomato and celery juices
Cold sliced roast pork, Chutney sauce
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Creamed beets and green peas
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Salted nuts
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Fingernail Pointer

Pack soap and cold cream under the fingernails when doing housework. It will protect the nails from stains.

Deep Breathing Is Beauty Fad Now in London

Stimulated by recent books and lectures of Francis Yeats-Brown and Dr. Alexander Cannon and the boost given the Yogi "daily dozen" in the international set by Lady Mendl, who stands on her head every morning and acts 25 years younger than her age, Yogi exercises are a rising fad in London and are arousing increasing interest in New York, says Ken Magazine.

Buddha Bose, so-called "most beautiful man in India," who attributes his pulchritude to the Yogi regimen, is now in London teaching it at so much per head to crowds of new practitioners.

Directions for one typical exercise that anyone can do are: "Close the right nostril, inhale deeply through the left, then close both. When holding the breath becomes a strain, exhale slowly. Take next breath through the right one, with the left closed, then close both, and so on."

Twenty such breaths, each day, upon rising, at midday, at sundown and before retiring, are advised by Dr. Cannon.

Two Wave-Saving Tricks

Hollywood's beautiful discovered long ago that wispy hair is death to glamour. Even young Bonita Granville knows a protective trick or two. She wears a gathered rubber cap over her head to keep out the steam when taking a bath.

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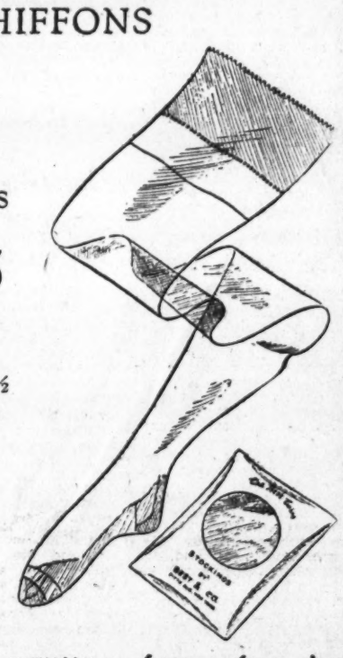

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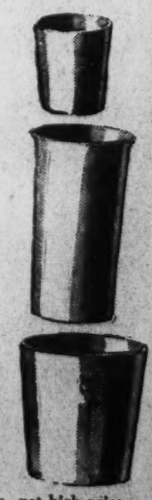

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hoped to add much to their growing store of information.

Brothers Tell of "Blackmail"

Investigators questioning the Musicas in jail were told considerable sums taken in an amazing welter of transactions from the $86,000,000 McKesson & Robbins firm were paid out by the Musicas in blackmail to persons who knew and threatened to expose their criminal pasts.

One said "a lot" of the missing money could be accounted for in such blackmail.

The authorities maintained their belief other "brains" behind the crime were yet to be disclosed, and Irving R. Kaufman, assistant U. S. attorney, said others as "important as F. Donald Coster" were involved.

More than 150 subpoenas have been issued for Wall Street operators and brokers, officials of the drug firm and other concerns and for records which may explain the confusion into which the drug firm's affairs have been thrown.

From New Jersey came word that seven trucks would be required to transport records from there to New York.

Already impounded are records of McKesson & Robbins, which are being checked.

Bootlegging Suspected

For the Treasury Department, the Alcohol Bureau will collect evidence already uncovered, indicating that prohibition alcohol gave Coster-Musica his start, enabling him to run $2,000 up to $500,000 between 1923 and 1928. It was then, according to testimony taken last week, that he "became big enough for Wall Street," as he was told by investment bankers who accepted him.

Although no evidence of trade in narcotics by the swindler has been uncovered yet, the narcotic unit of the Treasury is investigating such a possibility and will be represented at tomorrow's conference.

For ten days the Securities and Exchange Commission has been probing the financial history of the renascent Musicas. The investigation already has produced the charge of falsifying the corporation's financial statement, on which the three surviving brothers are under arrest.

Hollywood, Dec. 18 (AP).—A spirited race was on today between two movie studios to be first on the screen with the dramatic story of the Musica brothers' operations.

Warner Brothers announced today it would begin work within seven days on "The Drug King," starring Claude Rains, Fay Bainter, Margaret Lindsay and Victor Jory.

Bryan Fox, who will produce the picture, said the script was in preparation and would adhere closely to the newspaper stories of recent days unfolding the manifold ramifications of the Musicas.

Columbia studio announced Friday it would make a picture based on the McKesson & Robbins financial tangle, with Edward G. Robinson starred.

Old Associates Checked

Special Dispatch to The Post.

New York, Dec. 18.—Federal authorities and local police officials, as a part of their investigation of the muddled affairs of McKesson & Robbins, Inc., have been checking all records at police headquarters for information concerning former associates of Philip Musica, who, as F. Donald Coster, built the drug concern into national prominence before his identity as a convicted swindler was revealed.

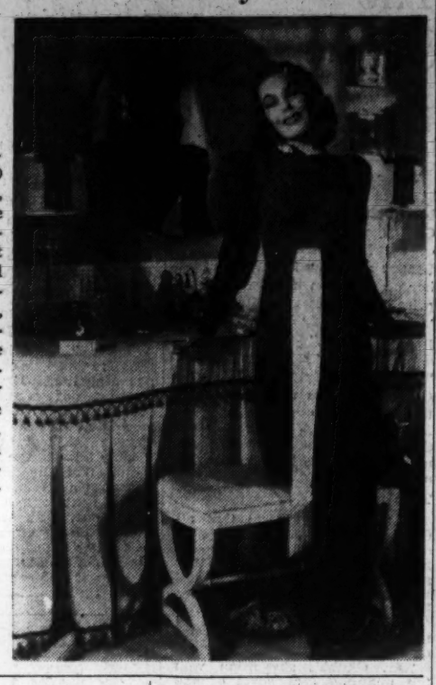
Among these associates, it was learned, are a former assistant district attorney, a former Assistant Attorney General, a former investigator for Charles S. Whitman, also known as a convicted forger, and an unnamed lawyer. It was understood Coster had tried for three days to communicate with the unidentified lawyer before he committed suicide.

One of the men police would like to question is Morris Luban, an investigator for Whitman when the latter was district attorney. In April, 1916, Luban was convicted in Brooklyn of a series of forgeries, sentenced to 20 years in jail, but was paroled in 1917.

The former assistant district attorney with whom the officials would like to speak is W. Rogers Duell, implicated with Philip Musica in the sensational Barnett Baff murder investigation. Both Duell and Musica were indicted for subornation of perjury as a result of the investigation. Duell had appeared as counsel for some of the defendants in the case after leaving the district attorney's office.

Another man they would like to question is Alfred E. Becker, a former deputy attorney general. In 1916 or 1917 Musica, adopting the name of William Johnson, became associated with Becker, who knew his real identity. Becker in his official capacity as an observer of alien activities, hired Musica, or Johnson, as an investigator, at $25 a day.

Becomes Bride of Henry Wilcoxon



Joan Woodbury, RKO film starlet, who became the bride Saturday night in Hollywood of the veteran actor, Henry Wilcoxon. The wedding, attended by many of the film colony, took place on her twenty-second birthday

Musica's Mother Rushed to Refuge in Florida; Daughter Fears News of Son 'Would Kill Her'

By the Associated Press.

Westbury, N. Y., Dec. 18.—The 79-year-old mother of the Musica brothers has been taken to a refuge near Miami by her daughter, Marie, because of a fear that knowledge of the exposure of the family's alleged swindling operations "would kill her." The mother apparently has been kept unaware of the suicide, Friday, of her oldest son, Philip Musica, known as Dr. F. Donald Coster.

The family physician, Dr. Stephen J. Petrovits, disclosed today Mrs. Antonio Musica, known here as Mrs. Girard, is gravely ill with diabetes, heart trouble and enlargement of the liver.

The daughter and mother, both later subpenaed—but not served—by a Federal grand jury in New York, left Wednesday night for a Miami suburb to seek seclusion in a cottage there with Mrs. Ann Dietrich, wife of one of the three surviving brothers, Robert Musica, alias Dietrich, who is in jail in New York in default of $100,000 bail.

Dr. Petrovits said Marie told him last Tuesday, two days before the indicted heads of the McKesson & Robbins drug firm were revealed as the Musica brothers, that news of the drug company's financial difficulties "would kill my mother if she found out about it."

The doctor gave instructions for the aged woman's treatment while in Florida and ordered that she be kept in bed in a train compartment en route. He said he did not know how the daughter persuaded the older woman to leave their 10-room home on a country estate near here, because she is "a dignified but very bossy woman with her children."

"I think I am going to die in Florida," he quoted the old woman as saying before her departure. He said he believed news of the suicide of Musica, and all other developments in the case, had been kept from her.

Dr. Petrovits said that for the past eight years he had seen her two or three times a week, at least, sometimes as often as three times a day. He frequently saw the sons, especially Coster, who was called "Philip" (his correct first name) in the household. The other brothers, who used the aliases Dietrich and Vernard elsewhere, were known at home as Girards, he said.

"She told me Coster was her son by a first marriage, the others by a second," said the doctor. Even the physician admitted he was duped by Coster's claims to M. D. and Ph. D. degrees from Heidelberg University in Germany, which Coster listed in his account of himself in "Who's Who in America."

"He told me he had both degrees, but that he would not dare give medical treatment to his own mother," the doctor said. "But he showed a very thorough knowledge of medicine. It was at his insistence that I came so often to see her and he often consulted with me about her health."

Radio Man to Get Doll Like Himself

One hundred and fifty Randolph-Macon Academy cadets will honor Gordon Hittenmark, WRC announcer and academy alumnus, at exercises at Fourteenth and F street northwest at 8 a. m. Thursday.

Hittenmark, an honorary captain in the cadet corps, will be presented with a 36-inch military-dressed doll, a miniature of himself. Presentation will be made by Cadet Lieut. Robert M. Buck, Cadet Corp. Richard Lancaster and Cadet Irwin Lust, all of Washington.

The cadets will also present a number of dolls to be distributed to underprivileged children as Christmas gifts.

Harlan Ex-Deputy Killed at Mine

Harlan, Ky., Dec. 18 (AP).—Perry G. Noe, 34, former Harlan County deputy sheriff and a Harlan anti-labor trial defendant, was shot to death today and Sheriff Herbert C. Caywood said John Lee, 40, a mine foreman, had surrendered to him.

Noe was shot six times. Caywood said Lee was being held in county jail without charge.

The former deputy sheriff was a watchman at the Highsplint Coal Co., near where the shooting occurred. Lee works at the Highsplint mine.

Baby Undisturbed By Auto Thieves

Dunkirk, N. Y., Dec. 18 (AP).—A 16-month-old girl was left sleeping in the rear seat of an automobile while her parents went Christmas shopping.

She was still there, still asleep a couple of hours later when police arrested two youths who had stolen the car, driven it 10 miles away, apparently unaware of their passenger, whose parents were frantic.

Citizens to Weigh Merger of Takoma Civic Groups

Advisability of uniting the Takoma Park, D. C.-Md., Citizen's Association with the Takoma Park Community League will be discussed today at a meeting of the latter organization at the home of Dr. J. A. Le Clerc, 225 Cedar avenue, Takoma Park, Md., at 8 p. m.

Dr. Guy Clinton, of Takoma Park, Md., president of both organizations, predicts the change will increase activity in civic affairs on the Maryland side and also membership. He expressed hope the group might become a member of the Montgomery County Civic Federation, to which the Community League belongs.

An appointment of the merger committee will be made by Dr. Clinton tonight. The Takoma Citizen's Association favors retaining its present name if merged.

It has been suggested that meetings be held alternately on each side of the Maryland-District line.

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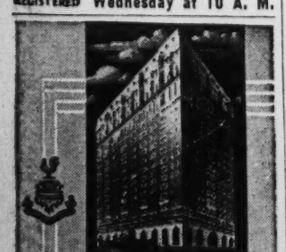

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(*right*) The handsome Christmas-wrapped Camel carton—10 packs of "20's"—200 cigarettes. Your dealer is featuring it now.

(*above*) A pound package of rich-tasting, "no-bite" smoking in this eye-filling gift package of Prince Albert, the world's most popular smoking tobacco. Be sure to see the big, generous one-pound tin of P. A. on display at your nearest dealer's.

(*left*) Also featured in a timely holiday dress—four boxes of Camels in "flat fifties." Looks like (and *is*) a lot of "gift" for what you pay!

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Dies Warns Against Race, Class Hatred

They Breed Naziism, He Tells Town Hall; Seger Outlines Way To Fight Propaganda

The two requisites for rapid growth of Nazism already exist in the United States, Representative Dies (Democrat), of Texas, chairman of the House committee investigating un-American activities, warned a Town Hall audience last night at the Shoreham.

The requisites, Dies said, are hate and fear. He declared steps must be taken to check class, religious and racial antagonism and to curb the clamor "for ever-increasing paternalism and bureaucracy in Government."

Dies, assisted by John C. Metcalfe, chief investigator for his committee, exhibited documents and pictures relating to Fascist activities in this country.

Seger Outlines 5-Point Plan

Gerhart Seger, former member of the German Reichstag, who escaped from a Nazi concentration camp and has taken out first citizenship papers in the United States, also warned against Nazi penetration. He suggested five methods of balking spread of Nazi propaganda:

Cancellation of exchanging professors and students with Germany, "since all Germans promise under oath to serve as Nazi propagandists in the foreign universities."

Very close supervision of the activities of German diplomatic and consular officials, "since it is within their line of duty to spread propaganda, and even support subversive activities."

Dissolution of Nazi camps and suppression of semi-military organizations, such as "the German-American branch of Hitler's private army, the so-called Ordnungsdienst, whose members intimidate American businessmen."

Investigation of the German-American Business League "racket, which taxes German-American businessmen in order to subsidize propaganda."

Enactment of a law for Government clearance of all inheritance cases between the United States and Germany.

See War in Europe

Dies and Seger agreed that war in Europe was inevitable, and that Hitler's activity in the Ukraine was the likely igniting point.

The Congressman asserted that a vigorous campaign of Americanism is needed to combat invasion of the Nazi ideology. In answer to a question, following his main talk, the Texan declared:

"You can be an American and also believe in Nazism, Fascism, or Communism, just so long as you are open and aboveboard and loyal to your country."

He and Metcalfe pointed out that there were 80 Nazi bunds in the United States, having 25,000 members and, in all, about 100,000 sympathizers. Seventy-five per cent of these bunds, Metcalfe said, were "out-and-out rackets." It was revealed that there were also 10,000 Italians belonging to Fascist units, and that Japanese, Nazi and Fascist agents are co-operating in their activities in America.

Naturalization papers of German-Americans who insist on joining the bund should be revoked, Dies maintained, and the culprits sent back to Germany.

Fire Lieutenant Overcome in 14th Street Blaze

A fire lieutenant was overcome last night in a blaze in the cellar of Langmead's Armchair Lunch, 831 Fourteenth street northwest. Smoke pouring into the restaurant drove patrons to the street.

Trapped in swirling clouds of smoke when the door to the basement swung shut, Lieut. Elmer F. Stein, of Engine Company No. 16, had to be helped out of the building by privates K. L. Bell and J. F. Madigan. Stein was taken to Emergency Hospital.

A telephone and a box alarm brought five engine companies, three truck companies and two battalion chiefs to the scene. Traffic was diverted from the 800 block of Fourteenth street about 20 minutes.

C. J. Langmead, owner of the restaurant, said he though the fire was caused by a cigarette thrown into basement trash. He said "very little" damage had been done.

Two Police Hurt While Off Duty

Two Eighth Precinct policemen received injuries in accidents not in the line of duty yesterday.

Sergt. Cyrus E. Perry, of the Eighth Precinct, was burned about the face when a gas burner exploded in his home at 4011 Fessenden street northwest.

Pvt. T. R. Stewart, also of the Eighth Precinct, received cuts on the hand when he slipped and fell on some gravel at 4700 Davidson street, Chevy Chase, Md. Both were treated at the police clinic.

'Unloaded' Gun Almost Costs Va. Boy, 16, a Foot

The old story of the "unloaded gun" almost resulted in loss of a foot yesterday for James A. Orrison, 16, of Vienna, Va., when a shotgun in the hands of his 14-year-old brother, Roger L. Orrison, jr., went off as the two played in front of their home in Vienna.

James received 50 shot in his right foot and was rushed to Washington, where a physician said the wound was not serious. The boys said they were getting ready to go hunting and thought the gun was unloaded when Roger pulled the trigger.

'Indian Madonna' Is Depicted at National City Church's Christmas Pageant

Post Staff Photos.

An Indian Madonna, with hunters and chiefs offering precious animal skins for the "Christ Child," was one of the features of the Christmas pageant presented last night at the National City Christian Church. At left—Mrs. Pauline Holcomb, as the Indian Madonna, with Ben Barger and Everett Dix, jr. In another scene (at right) Mrs. Henriette Bagger Plum enacts the white Madonna, surrounded by angels and wise men. Left to right—Lois Dowd, Dorothy Dowd, Maxwell Galloway, Florence E. Rice, James Miller and Dorothy Harding. The pageant was presented by the choir and Bible school of the church, under the direction of Prof. H. Augustine Smith, of Boston University

Pastor Deplores Christmas 'Holiday' Trend

Too Much Spent on Expensive Gifts, Says Rev. Virgil Cosby

Special sermons in local churches yesterday heralded the approach of Christmas with appeals for a "real Christian spirit in the observance."

The Rev. Virgil M. Cosby, of River Road Presbyterian Church, said:

"Christmas was intended to be a holy day, but we are rapidly making it a holiday. We should place at the head of our Christmas list Him whose birthday this is."

Those who sing "praises to the Lord" and then spend more in a day on Christmas presents than they give to the church in a year have the wrong interpretation, he told his congregation.

Santa Claus or Christ?

"I've heard a lot about Santa Claus during the past weeks, but very little about the real spirit of Christ," asserted the pastor.

At Metropolitan Memorial Methodist Church the Rev. William Andrew Keese declared:

"His coming to the world was the divine event worthy of a star, whatever astronomers may discover about the one which shone over Bethlehem. Christianity still is the desire of all nations, whatever you do with the Wise Men."

Addressing the Junior Church at Covenant-First Presbyterian Church where he is assistant pastor, the Rev. Samuel R. Allison, a visitor last year to Palestine, told his hearers that to be at Bethlehem on Christmas Eve "is an experience that you'll never forget." He described his experiences, which included walking into the hills of Judea, where the shepherds were tending their flocks on the night of Jesus' birth.

Pleads For "Goodwill"

Pleading for actual "peace on earth, goodwill toward men," the Rev. William R. Moody, pastor of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, declared that "if everyone in the world were a practicing Christian, international lines would cease to be barriers, marked by suspicion and hate, and would become thresholds of goodwill."

H. Lawrence Choate, director of the St. Albans chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, speaking yesterday at the group's annual breakfast at Alban Towers, declared that "the revival has begun and religion is moving forward to take its helpful place in a troubled world searching for truth."

Catholics Urged To 'Do Without' And Give to Poor

The Very Rev. Ignatius Smith, O. P., told his listeners on the Washington Catholic radio hour last night to "do without something this Christmas and give it to the poor."

"Don't pass the responsibility and say that the Government or other public relief agency will help those poorer and less privileged than you," he advised. "The police, the charitable agencies, the daily press will direct you to the poor. Put shoes on their feet, clothes to keep them warm, food to sustain them."

Dr. Smith, who spoke on "The Good Samaritan" over Station WOL from the Church of the Immaculate Conception, declared that "the ringing voice of Pius XI decrying the inhumane persecution of the Jews in Germany and Italy is evidence of the fact that the Good Samaritan lives today where Christ is taken seriously."

The benediction was pronounced by the Rev. Joseph P. Bradley, and the Rev. John K. Cartwright presided. Music was given by the boy choristers.

Bookkeeper Held In Loss of $3,800

Mrs. Fannie Billingsly, 37, of 219 Upshur street northwest, was held in $5,000 cash bond last night on a charge of embezzling $3,800 from the I. Miller & Sons shoe store, where she was employed as a bookkeeper. The warrant was procured by Charles C. Bane, manager.

Taken to police headquarters for questioning, Mrs. Billingsly was transferred to Twelfth Precinct. She will appear in Police Court Tuesday morning.

Pageants, Plays, Cantatas Are Preview for Christmas

Many Churches Hold 'White Gift' Services; Boston Author Directs Presentation At National City Christian Service

With churches and Sunday schools as the setting, a preview of the Christmas story was unfolded yesterday in song and pageantry before capacity audiences which joined in chanting traditional carols.

Many churches held "white gift" services, with parishioners offering food, clothing, cash and other necessities for the city's needy.

The pageant "Everywhere, Everywhere, Christmas Tonight" was presented last night at National City Christian Church by Dr. Augustine Smith, the author and director of church and community music, Boston University.

In five scenes, with a cast of 150 players from the choir and Bible School of the church, the play told the Christmas story from the vision of Zacharias to the manger, and introduced one innovation, an Indian Madonna, acted by Mrs. Pauline Holcomb. Mrs. Henriette Bagger Plum played the role of the White Madonna.

The fourth scene, in which Indian chiefs and hunters were pictured taking gifts of animal skins to their "Christ child" while he rested in the arms of the Indian Madonna, was impressive, as was also the "White Madonna and Angels" scene. Assisting Prof. Smith were the Rev. Ivan Dugan, assistant pastor at National City, William Braithwaite, music director, and others.

Another play was staged last night at West Washington Baptist Church under direction of Sunday School Superintendent Robert L. Haycock. Entitled "The Prince of Peace," the play, an annual affair, depicted the spirit of peace bringing blessings to a war-torn world.

Other pageants were given at All-Souls' Unitarian, Fifteenth Street Christian, Foundry Methodist, Grace Episcopal, Calvary Methodist Episcopal and Ibright Memorial Evangelical churches and in many other parishes.

Outstanding among musical services was the cantata, "Behold Thy King," sung last night by the choir of Lincoln Road Methodist Church. Conducted by William T. Stevens, with Margaret Morgan Harry as organist, it included two parts—"The Annunciation" and "The Nativity."

Among soloists were J. L. Rogers, jr., Mrs. B. H. Black, Mrs. Mae Clark and William Felter.

"The Wise Men," presented last night by the vested choir of Douglas Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, was another of the inspiring cantatas. With Estelle Wentworth directing and Rollo Onyun at the organ, it featured solos by Mary Bruton, Helen Eddy, Laura Harrington, George Holmes, Anna Haralson and others as well as special choruses.

At First Congregational Church, Tenth and G streets northwest, Charles Dickens' "Christmas Carol" was shown from the screen. Carols were sung by the congregation and the choir gave a special program.

Hadassah Picks D. C. 'Clark Gable' At Benefit Dance

Washington's Jewish "Clark Gable" was picked last night at the annual benefit dance of the Junior Hadassah at the Press Club auditorium.

Harold Harowitz, 5132 Nebraska avenue northwest, was the handsome man chosen by 400 wildly applauding members of the Hadassah after his rival in the contest, Jerome Litven, 714 Otis place northwest, had been eliminated.

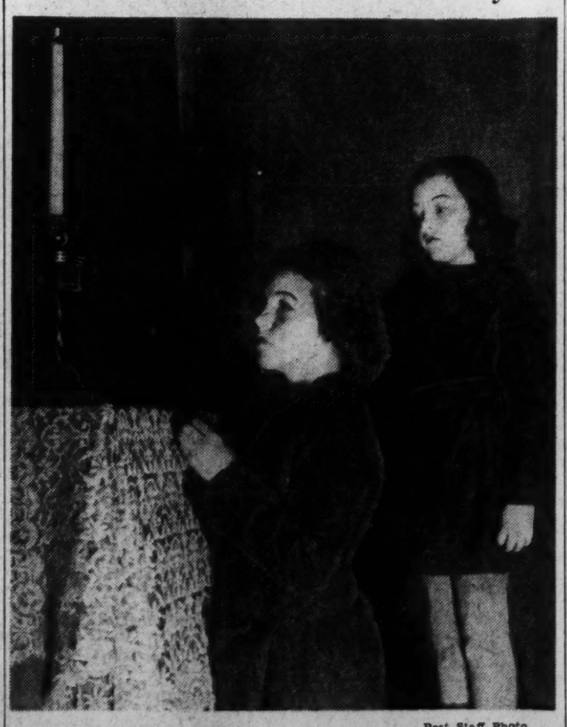
Earlier in the evening gymnastic couples vied with one another in a jitterbug event which was won by Lilly Miller, 3026 Park place northwest, and Al Nathanson, 1000 Fourth street northwest.

Miss Dorothy Berman, 15 Sherman Circle northwest, was chairman of the dance committee, and Ted Norman, director of the Arthur Murray School of Dancing, officiated in the contest. The dance was given for the benefit of a children's village school and citrus grove in Palestine.

12 Men's Suits Stolen

Morris Spain, manager of the Royal Hand Laundry, 807 Mount Vernon place northwest, told police last night the laundry was entered and 12 men's suits stolen. He said entrance was gained through a door of which the lock had been picked.

Girl Reserves Present Yule Play



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A scene from "Why the Chimes Rang," Yuletide play presented by the Girl Reserves of the Y. W. C. A. at Barker Hall last night. Kneeling before the candle is Betty Sanders, in the role of a peasant boy, with Mary Sanders, who played the peasant boy's younger brother, standing behind her. Mary M. Burnett and Alice S. Morse directed the play

Women Fight Ban on Home Beauty Service

Assail Law Barring Treatments Outside Licensed Parlors

A petition signed by more than 200 Washington women, with some of their husbands, asking the District Commissioners to seek revision of a recent law prohibiting beauticians to practice in the homes of their cusomers, is being studied by the office of the corporation counsel.

Their appeal attacked one section of the act, passed at the last session of Congress, to regulate health conditions and qualifications in beauty parlors. Section 12 of the act makes it unlawful to practice cosmetology in any place but a licensed beauty shop, except that registered operators may in emergency treat customers by appointment.

The petition declared this law was resulting in unemployment of many capable beauticians, whose business has been built up by treating clients at their homes, and added that these persons would be forced on relief. Among signers of the petition were Mrs. Louis D. Brandeis, wife of the Supreme Court Justice, and Mrs. Hamilton Fish.

In a brief submitted in support of the petition, J. Harry Covington, former Chief Justice of the District Supreme Court, charged that section 12 was unconstitutional because it denied equal protection under the law. His argument pointed out that where the beautician might be subject to a six-month jail term for treating a client at the latter's home, the District laws permit any licensed barber to practice in the home of a customer.

Covington said a similar law had recently been declared unconstitutional in Delaware.

He added that section 21 of the District act permits employes of a licensed beauty establishment to practice off the premises under direction of the owner or manager, and within provisions of the cosmetology board.

25 Auto Licenses Suspended or Revoked Here

Twenty-five motorists, including 21 District and four Maryland residents, have had their driving licenses revoked or suspended for speeding and other traffic violations between December 4 and 17, it was announced yesterday. The list follows:

Traffic fatality in Pennsylvania, suspended, Frank L. Worden, 1915 K street northwest; reckless driving, revoked, Charles E. Kriste, 1608 Isherwood street northeast.

Speeding, second offense, 30-day suspension, Bruce L. Barnum, 2916 Sixteenth street northwest; John W. Bush, 2217 Kearney street northeast; Israel Pelter, 5517 Seventh street northwest; Columous Golden, 1106 Fifth street northwest; Fermon B. Jones, 3523 Fourteenth street nortrwest; Oliver E. Kidwell, 1216 D street southeast; Leonard C. Lowe, 109 Anacostia road southeast; James G. Makel, 4506 Lane place northeast; Theodore A. Martufi, 50 Quincy place northeast; Griffith M. Ricks, 4521 Holiday street, Brentwood, Md.; William H. Ryan, 1340 Michigan avenue northeast; John W. Sims, 1636 B street southeast; Booker J. White, 3536 Thirteenth street northwest; Ellis Wright, 1404 Swann street northwest; James Cope, Burnt Mill Hills road, Silver Spring, Md.

Speeding, second offense, license revoked, Thomas E. Norman, 1614 Third street northwest; speeding, second offense, license suspended, George A. Vozatsis, 4011 Georgia avenue; speeding, first offense, suspended, Preston M. Johnson, 1719 Sixth street northwest; Richard G. Spitler, 3612 Thirty-fifth street northwest; speeding, first offense, license revoked, Gordon R. Whittington, 2753 Fourth street northwest; speeding, first offense, 30-day suspension, R. M. Dennis Newkirk, 308 P street northwest; Karl Borders, Clinton, Md.; Barron C. Sherill, 4916 Battery lane, Bethesda, Md.

Peoples Drug Votes Bonus to 2,000

Directors of Peoples Drug Stores, Inc., have authorized the payment of a wage dividend to approximately 2,000 of its employes as follows:

Employes who entered the service of the company after November 30, 1937, and prior to June 1, 1938, 15 per cent of the monthly basic salary.

Employes who entered service of the company after November 30, 1936, and prior to December 1, 1937, 21 per cent of the monthly basic salary.

Employes who entered the service of the company prior to December 1, 1936, 30 per cent of the monthly basic salary.

This wage dividend does not apply to assistant store managers, store managers or junior and senior executives. Payment will be made on December 24.

New Law Course Outlined To Chicago University Alumni

Prof. Edward H. Levy Describes Plan To Broaden Studies to Give Student Background of Economics and Sociology

The University of Chicago's newly adopted four-year law curriculum, designed to correlate legal with non-legal fields of study, was outlined last night by Prof. Edward H. Levi, member of the law faculty, in a meeting of Chicago alumni, at the A. A. U. W. Club.

Leading a discussion of "Integrating Law Into the Social System," Prof. Levi explained the new curriculum was being planned to train lawyers competent to handle cases, to understand legal doctrines, and to recognize the social effect of choosing one doctrine over another.

Under the new program, Levi said, the law school was bringing to its faculty historians, economists, psychologists and others, and was putting related non-legal material into all law courses. The method of steady reading in law cases, he said, had been partly abandoned, and a tutoring program adopted to give the student opportunity for reading and writing under personal supervision of a faculty member. Specialization in some practical field is arranged for each student in the third and fourth years, he explained.

Clyde Aitchison, Interstate Commerce commissioner, said modern society, and the increasing integration of the Government with every phase of national life, compelled a high degree of specialization in law training. He said this training should develop the ability to think like a lawyer, an accurate instinct about what the law should be and the technical equipment needed in the courtroom. He added the lawyer, however, well equipped as a specialist, needed also general training in the arts and sciences.

Others who joined in the discussion were Jerome Frank, Securities and Exchange commissioner; Wayne L. Morris, dean of the University of Oregon Law School, and G. F. White, president of the Washington Alumni Club.

Workers Sought By Jewish Center In Member Drive

Captains and workers in the 1939 Membership Enrollment campaign of the Jewish Community Center have been summoned to a meeting Wednesday night at the center to organize teams for the campaign for 2,500 members.

Burnett Siman and Dr. Ivy A. Pelzman, cochairmen of the enrollment, have called upon every large Jewish organization in Washington to provide a corps of workers for the drive.

Those which have already pledged their support to the drive include the following organizations:

Jewish Consumptives Relief Society, Junior Mizrachi, Junior Council, Hadassah, Junior Hadassah, Council of Jewish Women, Council of Jewish Juniors, Zionist Organization, Hebrew Home for Aged Auxiliary, B'nai B'rith and Auxiliary, Jewish War Veterans and Auxiliary, George Washington Lodge, Samuel Gompers Lodge, Pioneer Women of Palestine, Young Judaea.

Active participants in the campaign also will be the Service Council, the Center Guild and the various boys and girls clubs affiliated with the Center.

Trenton, N. J., Man Dies at D. C. Theater

Joseph Cuthbert Warner, 48, of Trenton, N. J., a visitor to Washington, died of a heart attack at a downtown theater last night. He was pronounced dead by an ambulance surgeon from Emergency Hospital, and identified by papers found in his clothing. Authorities are seeking to locate relatives.

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Gloomy Christmas Faces Family With Gift Dog Astray

Christmas won't be the same in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Nielson, 2151 California street northwest, because one of last year's Christmas presents walked away Saturday night and hasn't been seen since.

The lost Christmas present is Patsy, wire-haired terrier, the constant companion of Nancie Mae, 20-month-old daughter of Mrs. Nielson.

Patsy was the property of Miss Grace Hazard, Mrs. Nielson's sister. She said Patsy's disappearance has cast gloom over the entire household, and that Nancy Mae hasn't been informed of Patsy's departure. Patsy is just a year old, but comes of royal ancestors of dogdom, Miss Hazard said.

Law Guild Says D.C. Can Tax Incomes

Asserts Congress Has Enacting Power; Cites Taft Ruling on Constitutional Issue

The District Chapter of the National Lawyers Guild yesterday buttressed its contention that there is no constitutional objection to a District income tax levied on the incomes of Federal employes with an 11-page brief submitted to Maj. Daniel Donovan, District auditor.

The report of the guild's social legislation committee asserts that there can be "no reasonable doubt" of the constitutionality of such an enactment by Congress for the support of the District government.

Congress Would Enact

The doctrine that a State may not tax the instrumentalities of the Federal Government is not applicable in this case, according to the guild, since Congress itself would enact the legislation. There can be "no question of one government using its taxing power to obstruct the sovereign functions of another government," the brief states.

For purposes of the "instrumentalities doctrine" the District cannot be considered a State, the report maintains, citing an opinion of the late William Howard Taft in which he decided in 1896 for the Sixth Federal Circuit of Appeals that District bonds are exempt from State taxation because the District is a national city.

Couldn't Claim Exemption

To view the District as a State, the famous jurist said, "misses the whole object of the constitutional grant" which set up the Federal city as the seat of national sovereignty.

Under the same doctrine the brief contends that District employes "would be unable to maintain a claim for exemption from the Federal income tax."

"Even if an artificial distinction had to be maintianed between Congress as national legislature and as District legislature," the guild committee points out that "the national legislature has power to waive the immunity of its instrumentalities from local taxation."

Burglar Ransacks Home

William R. Cassady, of 4727 Reno road northwest, reported to police last night his home had been entered and clothing, rugs and bed linen valued at $556 taken. He said a window was jimmied open.

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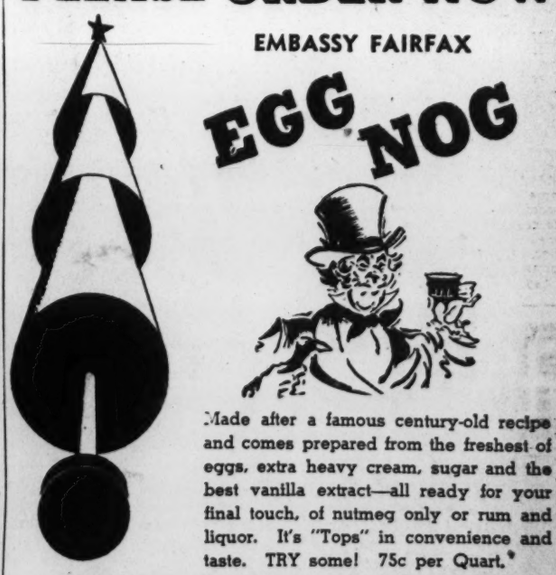
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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

When Is a Picture Not A Picture? Critics Ask

Controversy Over 'Snow White' Grows Warm; 'Window Shopping' Gets Broadway Hearing; Monday's Grist of Theater Jottings

AS WAS to have been expected, a considerable controversy seems to have sprung up among the motion-picture critics of the country as to whether "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" is eligible to be included among the "Ten Best Pictures of the Year," now in process of determination by national vote.

BELL

A number of commentators upon the cinema already have taken the stand that "Snow White" should not be considered with other Hollywood productions in estimating the comparative values of the 1938 feature releases. This column does not at all hold with this view, although it fully comprehends the line of reasoning that forms its genesis and more or less substantial basis.

In tabulating its list of the "Ten Best," appearing in this space a week ago today, this department had this to say, perhaps a little in anticipation of the rapidly growing discussion of the matter: "It (Snow White") is named last, instead of first, merely because it was so distinctly a thing apart from the conventional motion picture, and so completely the outgrowth of Walt Disney's peculiarly specialized cartoon genius, that it seems to me a thing wholly unto itself, not to be placed in direct competition with other camera subjects utilizing the services of living actors in place of Mr. Disney's drawing pens and pigments. I still think it the most extraordinary entertainment of its own or any other year."

I stand on that and seem not to be alone in my contention that "Snow White" emphatically may not judiciously be omitted from any list of the "Ten Best." In his column, "The Screen," in yesterday's New York Herald Tribune, Mr. Howard Barnes, an observer of acute erudition, takes the same stand in these words: "I should like to go on record in advance as being aggressively in favor of including 'Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs' among the regular full-length screen offerings of 1938. If this memorable Disney production is not a motion picture, I would like to know what it is. It was made with a camera; it has been thrown on a multitude of screens with standard projectors; it employs the screen for dramatic purposes and it even uses the tricks of close-ups, dissolves, flash-backs and the like, which might be said to make up the technical and esthetic equipment of the cinema."

Precisely. And to clinch the matter, it might be pointed out that "Snow White" MUST be a motion picture, because it never could have come to the public view as anything else. There is no other medium of entertainment through which it could have come into existence.

There Are Polls and There Are Polls

While we are on the topic, there seems to be more or less confusion in the public mind—or so I am led to believe by the numerous letters, cards, wires and phone calls reaching this desk during the past week—as to just what this "Ten Best" business is all about. It lies within the province of any motion picture reviewer, of course, to compile any list he likes, regardless of release dates or any other limitations. This department, however, along with some 530 others scattered over these United States, concerns itself only with the poll conducted annually by Mr. Jack Alicoate's Film Daily, one of the leaders in the trade journal field, and abides by the rules set down for that particular balloting. Selection is limited to feature pictures released between the dates of November 1, 1937, and October 31, 1938. It is restricted, too, to American product. Thus, "The Great Waltz," "Angels With Dirty Faces," "Grand Illusion," "Life Dances On" ("Un Carnet de Bal"), and numerous other films Washington has enjoyed of late, were eliminated from consideration for one reason or another. Not that it matters, but just to keep the record straight.

Many Washingtonians will feel a neighborly interest in the announcement in yesterday's New York press that on Friday night of this week, in the Longacre Theater, a play bearing the title of "Window Shopping" will be presented for the first time on Broadway. This is the comedy written and put on last summer by Louis E. Shecter and Norman Clark, of Baltimore. Mr. Clark is the able drama and motion-picture editor of the Baltimore News-Post, whose interests and perplexities coincide almost identically with this column's.

When the local drama desks accompanied Freddie Bartholomew to his press conference in Baltimore last fall, we had a brief opportunity to discuss his new play with Norman. It had just received excellent notices in Philadelphia and he was hopeful that eventually it would reach Broadway. So there it is, under aegis of Tom Kilpatrick, with George Sidney, Gerta Rozan, Phillip Huston, Richard Taber and Ruth Lee in the cast—yes, the same George Sidney long famous on the stage—from 'way back yonder in the old Ward and Vokes days—and on the screen—all the "Potash and Perlmutter" films, "The Cohens and Kellys" and the rest.

A smash hit that will snap that Broadway "death watch" back to life is the worst we can wish an old friend.

Straightening Out Those Choirs

And another thing. Also opening in New York on Friday night, in the Forty-fourth Street Theater, will be Lew Leslie's new "Blackbirds of 1938," an all-Negro revue, after the manner of his earlier productions bearing the same title, but different years. I note that along with Hamtree Harrington and other popular performers, J. Rosamond Johnson and His Choir are included in the "Blackbirds" cast. This clears up a moot question. When Master Dick Maney recently bulletined this desk concerning Guthrie McClintic's forthcoming production of "Mamba's Daughters," starring Ethel Waters, J. Rosamond Johnson and His Choir were named among the supporting players. Evidently Mr. Maney had in mind the Hall Johnson Choir, recently heard with Ethel Waters in concert in New York.

The Washington Civic Theater will hold its fourth "audience night" in the Wardman Park Theater tomorrow night at 8:30. The subject will be "A New Play in the Making."

The first act of "Atlantis," a play written by Dorothea Lewis, of the Civic group, will be presented and, immediately after its performance, the audience will be asked to tell the author all about it. The play will be presented as a workshop production, with an excellent cast, the "High Tor" rocks for scenery, and couch covers, curtains, drapes and whatnot for costumes.

The program is open to all Civic subscribers and their friends, and friends of the theater in general, who may be interested. This time the "participating audience" will be asked to turn "participating playwright."

Having spent more than three years in globe-trotting to remote and exotic parts of the world, Richard Barthelmess will signalize his return to the screen by appearing in a costellar role, with Jean Arthur and Cary Grant, in a Howard Hawks production bearing the tentative title of "Plane No. 4" and to be produced by Columbia Pictures. The production will serve to introduce Barthelmess anew to his countless "fans" in what is described as a powerful, dramatic romance, set against the background of a colorful South American seaport. It was in 1935 that Dick announced his retirement from films, after having completed "Four Hours to Kill." He was seen recently, to be sure, in "Spy of Napoleon," but, one hopes, that doesn't count and won't be held against him!

Feeding Time at the Zoo!

Either this typewriter, like yon Cassius, has a lean and hungry look, or he has been mistaken for Melvin D. Hildreth, the world's No. 1 circus fan. When the postman rang twice the other day, he left a large metal hamper of "cocktail salted peanuts," forwarded from some remote outpost by the eminent Elmer Kenyon, recently here with Tallulah Bankhead's production of "I Am Different," and now peregrinating in behalf of the Lunts, and an even larger drum of delicious buttered and salted "tenderized popcorn" that came all the way from Detroit as a remembrance from Ronald Crandall Payette, according to the manifest.

Search as I might, I couldn't find any cocktails among the peanuts and I marvel that the tiny son of Johnny and "Dixie" Payette should have known, at the age of two weeks, that his "grandpappy" is a hound for popcorn.

At any rate I am deeply grateful, and already have jumped up in weight from 87 pounds to 90!

To-Whom-It-May-Concern Note

I also am fond of Hershey's semi-sweet chocolate and beer!

Film Table

Loew's Capitol — "A Christmas Carol," at 11:10 a. m., 1:50, 4:35, 7:20 and 10:05 p. m. and 12:50 a. m. Stage shows at 1:00, 3:45, 6:30 and 9:10 and 11:55 p. m.

Earle—"Heart of the North," at 11 a. m., 1:35, 4:25, 7:10 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 12:35, 3:25, 6:15 and 9 p. m.

Palace—"The Citadel," at 11:30 a. m. 2, 4:30, 7:05 and 9:35 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"The Storm," at 11:15 a. m., 1, 2:45, 4:35, 6:20, 8:10 and 9:55 p. m.

Columbia—"Thanks for the Memory," at 11:55 a. m., 1:55, 3:55, 5:55, 7:55 and 9:55 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Angels With Dirty Faces," at 11:30 a. m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:25, 7:35 and 9:35 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreel and shorts at 10 and 11:45 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 3, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m.

Little Theater—"La Maternelle," at 11 a. m., 12:45, 2:30, 4:15, 6:05, 7:50 and 9:35 p. m.

Tivoli—"If I Were King," at 1:20, 3:25, 5:30, 7:40 and 9:45

Ambassador—"Heart of the North," at 1:45, 3:45, 5:40, 7:40 and 9:35 p. m.

Uptown—"Men With Wings," at 1:20, 3:25, 5:25, 7:30 and 9:45 p. m.

Will Bring Good Cheer to the Yuletide Theater

ON NEXT WEEK'S SCREEN AND EARLY STAGE

Above—Janet Gaynor, Douglas Fairbanks, jr., and Paulette Goddard, who, with Richard Carlson, compound the romantic interest in "The Young in Heart," coming to the screen at Loew's Palace Theater on Thursday. Inset—Beatrice Lillie, star of Noel Coward's "Set to Music," to be seen at the National the week of Monday, January 9

The New Yorker

By Leonard Lyons

New York, Dec. 18.

BUSINESS DEPT.: Mayris Chaney, Mrs. Roosevelt's protegee—whose "Eleanor Glide" was front-paged last week—was the sole resident in the White House while the President's family was in Warm Springs. It was there that Miss Chaney perfected the new routine . . . As a result of the publicity, she and Edward Fox, her partner, will open at the Ambassador Monday.

MOVIE DEPT.: Charlie Chaplin met Gertrude Stein, the writer, and told her about his movie, "Modern Times" . . . He related the complete story, in all its details, while Miss Stein listened carefully . . . "Oh" was her sole comment when Chaplin finished, "it's a comedy."

LABOR DEPT.: Broadway's first sit-down strike occurred at a Latin cafe on Fifty-first street off Broadway . . . At 4:30 a. m. the musicians still were sit-down striking.

FINANCE DEPT.: Sam Harris, who is producing "The American Way" at Rockefeller's Center Theater, went to the theater and there observed two of the Rockfeller sons . . . "The Rockefellers are going to have a good season," Harris stated, "because we haven't asked them for a dime."

DRAMA DEPT.: Theron Bamberger, the publiscist, is press-agenting "Angele Is 22" . . . The author of that play told him: "You know what you are? You're a Babbitt" . . . "G'wan, you don't know what a Babbitt is." Bamberger told the playwright—Sinclair Lewis.

HELP WANTED: Frank Lehar, the famous Viennese composer, still is in his native city—where the Nazis now are trying to separate him from his wife, because she is Aryan . . . Lehar has written to friends here pleading for a job at the World's Fair.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, ETC.: Mrs. Jack Kirkland, whose husband wrote the play, "Tobacco Road," broadcasts for the "Big Sisters" radio series. She portrays the role of a young wife soon to become a mother . . . The program's press agent brought an infant to the studio and asked Mrs. Kirkland to pose holding the baby in her arms. "According to our advance script," he explained, "you become a mother in February. I want to get the publicity pictures ready" . . . Mrs. Kirkland refused to pose with a model baby. "By February," she confessed, "I'll have my own baby."

FASHIONS DEPT.: Oscar Levant purchased a new overcoat. A young, affectionate lady he was escorting persisted in putting her arms around him. Levant objected, because he was wearing a new coat . . . "Okay, go ahead," he relented, "but please—not against the grain."

CRIME DEPT.: District Attorney Geoghan, of Brooklyn, now is trying to ascertain the amount paid by Juffe in the fur-bribery case . . . When all the facts are revealed, he'll discover that the sum was $800—and that part of it was paid in the district attorney's office.

LOCAL NEWS: Commissioner of Correction Austin H. McCormick now is making an analysis of sex offenses. He'll present his report to the Legislature next month . . . Henry Fonda and Randy Scott both will be screen-tested by Twentieth Century-Fox next week for the role of "Abe Lincoln" . . . Ed Wynn paid $50,000 cash and $180,000 in securities to settle his income taxes until 1934. He still has to account for the three years following . . . The Elbow Room has seen the light, and removed the ban against tipping . . . Alec Woollcott will make a Christmas broadcast to London at the request of the British government.

TRAVEL DEPT.: Gerardo Machado, who was at Doctors Hospital during the visit of Col. Batista to New York, has departed secretly . . . Accompanied by a nurse, the former dictator of Cuba just left for Miami. The doctors told him that he has but six months to live.

BEAUTY DEPT.: At the Hollywood last night, the chorines were introduced with the announcement: "Look at this array of sweetness and loveliness. Look at the sweet things. Show them, ladies and gentlemen, how you appreciate sweet things" . . . The girls immediately were bombarded by missiles—thousands of them—sweet products of the company whose employes were having an annual outing . . . The Tootsie-Roll Co.

Turns to Films

HEIDY MAASBURG, the Baroness Heidy von Maasburg, cousin of Archduke Otto, former pretender to the throne of Austria, who will make her screen debut in "Cafe Society," featuring her friend, Madeleine Carroll

Little

Those little people who perform so naturally that they seem one of the most real groups the camera has ever brought to the screen, are back at the Little Theater in their well-remembered prize film, "La Maternelle."

"Children of Montmartre" is the English title for this story of the lonely, little Marie and Rose, the college graduate who became a maid because she had to have a job. When Marie's mother runs away, it is Rose to whom the soft-eyed child turns for maternal affection. She becomes lonelier than ever when it looks as though Rose will also be taken from her.

A story so tender would have crushed by a single false note. Marie's surroundings are actually a Montmartre day nursery, and her playmates are grubby little tikes quite unconscious of the camera. Paulette Elambert is the little girl, and for this achievement, her performance was noted on most of the "best-performance" lists of three years ago.

Madeleine Renaud is the Rose, and for her role wears as much make-up as "Our Town" has scenery. This realism is thoroughly in keeping with the bare simplicity of "La Maternelle." Jean Benoit-Levy directed the work from the novel of Leon Frapie.

With a color comic, a Pete Smith Short and the Pathe newsreel this completely moving film will be on view in the International Cinema Festival until Wednesday.

R. L. C.

Three in a Row

Laraine Johnson, attractive brunette actress who played opposite George O'Brien in "Painted Desert" and "Border G-Man," again is the star's leading lady in his current picture, "Arizona Legion."

Correspondent Finds Filmdom Full of Laughs

Amusing Incidents Of Year Recalled In Short Summary

By Frederick C. Othman
U. P. Hollywood Correspondent.

Hollywood, Dec. 18.—The time has come—we regret to report—for the questionnaire, the statistics and the solemn reports on Hollywood for the year 1938.

Only difficulty about this is the fact that almost everything which happened here was funny. At least it seemed so to us and we only hope the master minds of the movie industry will forgive us for this, our report on Hollywood, 1938:

Uncle Carl Laemmle went into the self-heating canned soup business. Universal Studios discovered that they had $4,000,000 worth (honest) of unproduced movie manuscripts gathering dust. Carole Lombard startled the whole community by announcing she enjoyed paying income taxes.

Eddie Collins had to act as if he were sleeping with a lion and when the lion put his left paw on Eddie's chest, Eddie fainted. A prop man nailed tangerines to a wall at R-K-O; he said the perspective would make 'em look like pumpkins in the picture.

"Frankenstein" Becomes Papa

Clark Gable took tap dancing lessons. Norma Shearer worried about a part wherein she was a lady acrobat who swung by her teeth. Boris Karloff, the Frankenstein monster, became the father of a handsome pink baby. Whitney Bourne, the glamour girl, revealed that she had nothing in her wardrobe but slacks and evening gowns.

Sam Goldwyn said he fell in love with James Roosevelt at first sight. Sigrid Gurie almost was deported because she was born in Brooklyn, N. Y. Joan Blondell announced that her two babies cost her $50.000 each, f. o. b. Cedars of Lebanon Hospital.

The mysterious veiled woman who visits Rudolph Valentino's grave on the anniversary of his death turned out to be a figment of Russell Birdwell's imagination; he's a press agent. An expert swore that Marlene Dietrich keeps her stockings up with adhesive tape.

Earl Carroll started building a night club within a night club; the edges, for the riff-raff, at $2.50 per head; the middle, for the elite, at $1,000 per each life membership. A Mme. Major gave Director King Vidor voice lessons so he could yelp as loud as his competitors.

"Seven for Six"

Badman J. Cagney almost killed seven enmies with a six-shooter; he would have, too, if the script girl hadn't been alert. Leni Reifenstahl, A. Hitler's friend, came to Hollywood, but none of the movie makers would give her a tumble. Valerie, the disinherited Princess Baba, of Sarawak, got a job as a hoochie-koochie dancer in a W. C. Fields' movie.

Frank Whitbeck, the elephant fancier, handed all his friends bull hooks for Christmas presents. All they need now are elephants. Fifty thousand American Legionnaires toured Warner Brothers' studios and saw fake directors directing fake actors while fake cameramen ground empty machines.

Not until the picture was released was it discovered that the heroine of "Gold Is Where You Find It" made the mistake of pruning an apple tree in full bloom. A Mr. Levy, wardrobe chieftain of Twentieth Century-Fox, gallantly refused to reveal the name of the actress whose frocks have curves built in with buckram

Fan Dancer's "Fans" Bitten!

Sally Rand bit a cash customer on the arm because the latter snapped photos of Sally while her fans were behind her. David O Selznick failed to announce one Saturday night that he was burning down his own private version of Atlanta, Ga., and half of Hollywood thought a forest fire had invaded the city.

Madeleine Carroll spent three days in a marble bathtub and emerged, wrinkled like a prune. She recovered later. Gypsy Rose Lee quit the straight-laced movie industry and went back to the strip-tease business. The Will Hays office complained to us because we reported a picture was taken of Miss Danielle Darrieux in her underwear. The report was true, because we saw it, but the movie moguls didn't think such fluffy-ruffles should be written about.

The Producers Association inaugurated a prize contest based on the slogan, "Movies Are Your Best Entertainment." Then somebody pointed out that the initials of these words spelled "Maybe." The experts quickly changed the slogan.

And here we are at the end of our space and we were only getting a good start. All we hope is that 1939 brings with it as many laughs as 1938.

In Hollywood

With Hedda Hopper

Hollywood, Calif., Dec. 18.—Doug Corrigan runs absolutely true to form. Having been shockingly poor, he won't spend any more of the company's money than his own, lives in a cheap, American plan hotel, within walking distance of the studio. One night when they were running over-time, they asked if he'd stay. He said, "Nope," not if I have to miss my dinner."

HEDDA HOPPER

The director then told him the studio would pay for his dinner, of course—he didn't know that they always pay for everybody's meal when they work overtime.

"Okay," he answered. So instead of sticking the company for a sirloin steak, he went to the chili wagon and ate two hamburgers.

Nor will he look at his daily rushes. When asked why, he said, "I'd only see mistakes, which I couldn't rectify. So I'm willing to do what the director tells me to do—he knows, I don't." What a slogan for our young players to adopt.

Here we have doubles for everybody and everything. But in the Rogers and Astaire picture, "The Castles" they have a double for Waldo the dog. Waldo is such a gentleman he refuses to growl or bite, so they had to make another dog up—actually apply body make-up, and he does snarling and biting, while Waldo sits and looks on in disgust.

Seventeen stars' stand-ins, from Ginger Rogers to Charles Boyer, had a field day imitating their bosses on the "Honolulu" set. Not only did they do this with the stars' permission, but they wore the stars' costumes. Clark Gable even coached his.

Louis Bromfield, author of "The Rains Came," has wandered all over our universe looking for a home and has finally settled at Mansfield, Ohio, the town in which he was born. He'll be here soon for consultation on the "Rains."

Johnny van Druten, of "Young Woodley" fame, is on his way over from England, and Director Auriel Lee who introduced Mary Astor to Manuel del Campo is their house guest. Auriel has just finished acting with Ruth Chatterton in the English picture, "Josephine."

Ralph Wheelright, who's been in publicity at Metro for years, has turned author and sold his first story to Metro for a beeg price. It has a navy background, and Commander Haislit collaborated with him.

When J. Farrell MacDonald was a director, he gave a job to a kid actor named Eddie Sutherland. Now Eddie's a producer and has taken MacDonald away from his dramatic school long enough to do an acting job in "It's Spring Again."

You've heard some pretty horrible sounds over the ether, but I'd advise you to stop up your ears when Ben Hecht's band gets going for the Screen Writers Ball. Harpo Marx blows the clarinet, George Stoll plays violin, and Charlie MacArthur, Hecht's teammate, will wreck a saxophone. Such goings on!

Contrary to all reports, that Elaine and Lionel Barrymore have staged a big reconciliation, is the fact that they've never even met. So no argument, no ill-feelings, no nothing! Just gossip. Incidentally, Elaine has won everybody, hands down, on the "Midnight" set. And she'll surprise you in it just as she does on the air.

Those steeplechase races at the Riviera Country Club were mighty pretty to watch. They brought out Bing Crosby, Andy Devine, Lynn Howard, the Bob Montgomerys, Walter Connolly, Mary Astor and Virginia Fields, Mrs. Elliott Nugent—whose director-husband was Palm Springing helping his papa write a new play. Mrs. Vanderbilt Phelps drove down from Carmel to see her horse lose, while Mrs. Spencer Tracy's won.

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Trans-Lux

Capt. Anthony Eden, former foreign secretary of Great Britain and world-wide exponent of "what the well-dressed gentleman should wear," is given high spots in the news portion of the bill at the Trans-Lux Theater this week.

Especially interesting to Washington news-film fans are the National Capital shots, showing the dapper captain and his charming wife at the Lincoln Memorial and with the beautiful background of Mount Vernon. He is cheered as he arrives at the White House with Assistant Secretary of State Sumner Welles for a visit with President Roosevelt. Capt. Eden also is shown in New York as he inspects one of the Federal Housing projects.

Along the Jewish refugee front, pitiful scenes are shown as orphan Jewish children arrive in England from Nazi Germany, many orphans because of the suicide of their parents. Cecho-Slovakian Jews are even more pathetic, as these scenes show them near starvation. Palestine scenes show Arabs replacing railroad tracks torn up in raids, in which they possibly had participated the night before. Other foreign scenes include Gen. Franco's planes bombing Madrid with bread; cadets of France, a la West Point, parading at St. Cyr; France and Germany signing a peace pact.

Among the sports are table tennis championship matches in New York and Australia; boxing, wrestling and water polo, climaxed by the continued showing of new and thrilling shots of the Giants-Green Bay Packers game for the professional football title.

Lew Lehr is a scream with the baby elephants and giraffes born in the zoo.

Outstanding among the week's shorts is "A Trip to the Sky," a Grand Prix French picture, showing the various planets through ultra-powerful microscopes.

An added pictorial brings three subjects; first, the activities of the Wellesley College girls, including graduation; second, the Brazil nut-pickers along the Amazon River and third, night life in Paris.

The cartoon is Donald Duck, at the game of golf, and, as usual, is in color and good for a fund of laughs.

Gayety

"HOLLYWOOD GIRLS." The Independent Burlesque Association presents the musical production, in two acts and 22 scenes, featuring Nona Martin and Joe Freed, supported by Bert Grant, Jean Wade, Al Pharr, Dickie Wells, Joey Shaw, George Corwin, LaFronte and Madigan and the Morgan Sisters. Dance numbers devised by Beverly Carr; staged by James J. Lake. Reviewed Sunday matinee by Art John, B. C. A. A.

Aside from the Countess Nadja, the number of female entertainers in burlesque who have real talent and ability are few and far between, but Miss Nona Martin, just in from the West Coast and appearing at the Gayety this week, is a lass who ranks high among those gifted artists we often hear about but seldom see.

Possessing a dynamic personality and good looks, Miss Martin presents several unusual musical specialties, sings several popular ballads extremely well and executes some unique dance routines. As a "talking woman," Nona is just about the cream of the crop, her number with Comedian Joe Freed proving her versatility in this field.

The comedy in this production more than makes up for the "in and out" wit and humor we've seen here the past few weeks. The clever Joe Freed, a veteran funster, who is best known for his great work on the old Columbia Wheel, heads the comedy contingent, and it is good to report that the originality Mr. Freed has to offer is something local patrons will appreciate. Freed's comedy partner, Al Pharr, does equally good work, assisted by George Corwin and Bert Grant, the latter a character man whose work is of top rank.

Blonde and lovely Jean Wade, the titian-haired Dickie Wells, and the Morgan Sisters form the distaff portion of the supporting bill. Joey Shaw lends a pleasant voice to the ballet members, while the dance team of LaFronte and Madigan, and a line of cute girls, complete a cast of performers who all work hard to please and, for the most part, succeed in their efforts.

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(X) Fred MacMurray-Ray Milland in "Men With Wings." At 1, 3:10, 5:20, 7:30, 9:40. Also Newsreel.

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UPTOWN Conn. Ave. & Newark Mat. 1 P.M. CL. 5400
(X) Fred MacMurray-Ray Milland in "Men With Wings." At 1:20, 3:25, 5:25, 7:30, 9:45. Short Subject.

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(X) Tyrone Power-Loretta Young in "Suez." At 5:45, 7:45, 9:45. Cartoon.

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(X) Deanna Durbin-Melvyn Douglas in "That Certain Age." At 6, 7:50, 9:40.

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Methodist Home's Children Tell Christmas Story

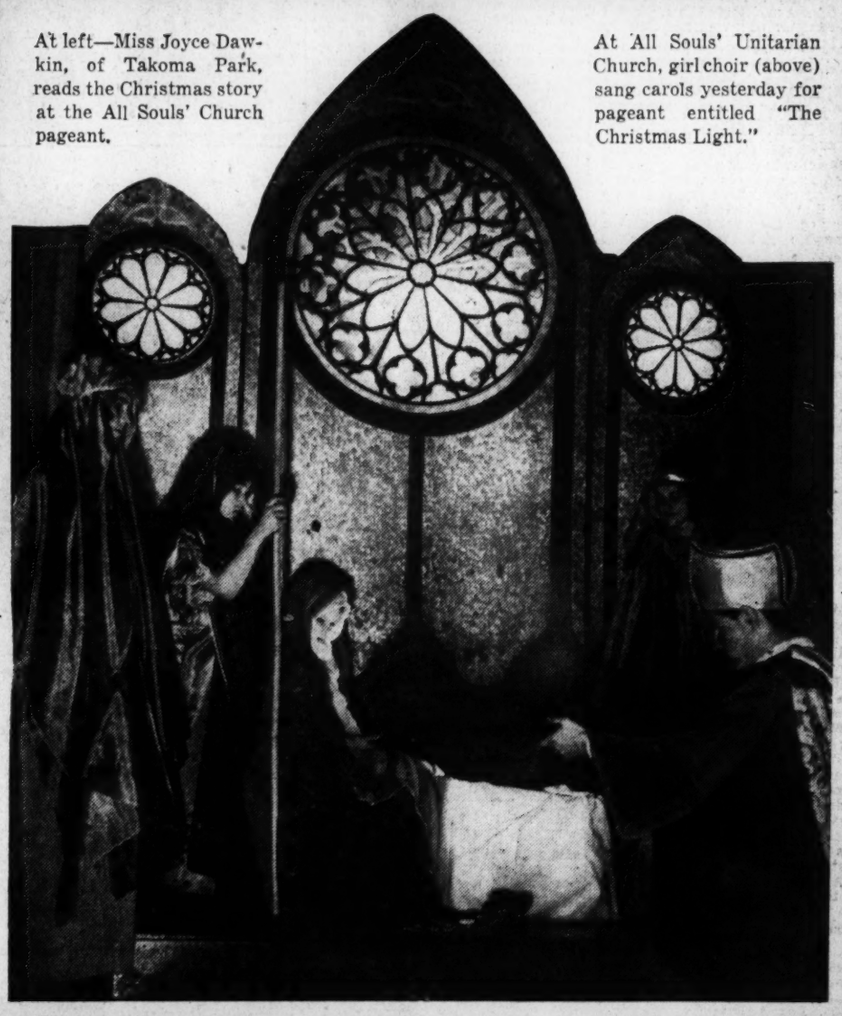
Post Staff Photos

Children from the Swartzell Methodist Home recite the Christmas story from the Bible at Foundry Methodist Church. Front row, Virginia Rider, Alice Atwell, Joan and Jimmy Strokamp; back row, Betty Franciscus, Anne Haywood, Mary Swiggard and Richard Rupkey.

Girl Choir Sings Yule Carols At All Souls' Church

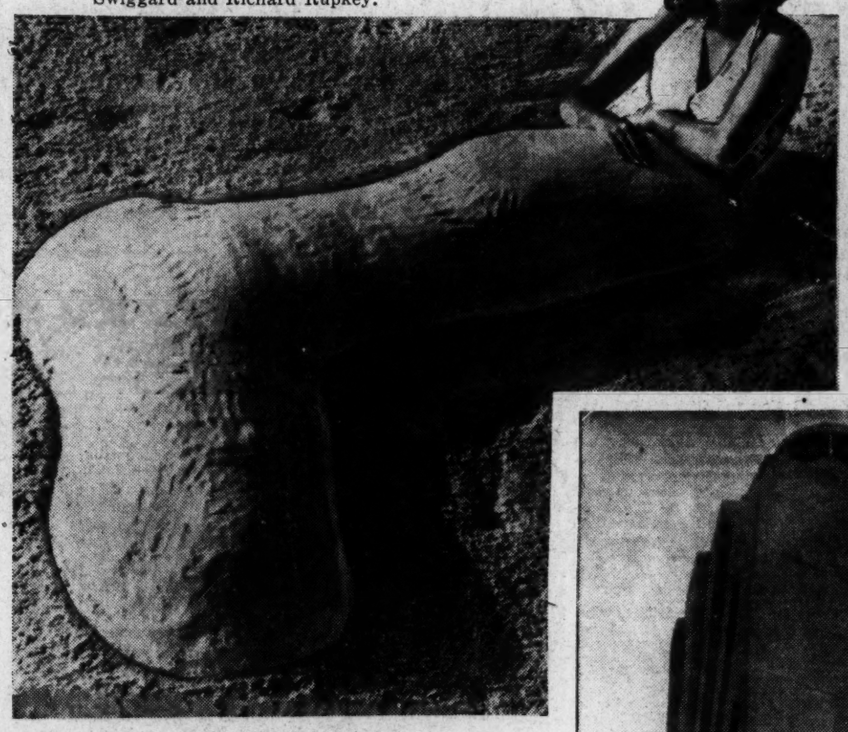
At left—Miss Joyce Dawkin, of Takoma Park, reads the Christmas story at the All Souls' Church pageant.

At All Souls' Unitarian Church, girl choir (above) sang carols yesterday for pageant entitled "The Christmas Light."



Christmas Stocking From Bermuda

A pink Christmas stocking fashioned from Bermuda's coral beach sand brings a holiday greeting from Miss Patricia Mercer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mercer, of Bermuda.



At the Manger In Church Pageant

At right—Grouped around the manger in All Souls' Church pageant are, left to right, Betty Johnston, 14, who played an angel; Richard Allbert, 11, as Joseph; Charlotte Weiss, 9, as Mary; Jane Overholser, 15, another angel, and Richard Ham, 14, as one of the three kings who brought gifts to the Christ Child.

In Fuss With Tyrone Power?

"Nevaire do I talk personal affairs," said Annabella, French movie actress, when asked if she quarreled in South America with Actor Tyrone Power. She's resting at Miami on her way to New York to "talk over a contract."

Associated Press Photo.

Mark 35th Anniversary of First Flight

A murky fog held down the crowd, but failed to halt observances of the thirty-fifth anniversary of the first airplane flight of the Wright brothers, held Saturday at Kill Devil Hill near Manteo, N. C. Part of the crowd is shown at base of the great white granite pylon memorializing the flight.

Columbus University Students Aid Police Christmas Drive

Policeman John Pumphrey, of the Third Precinct, was literally showered with gifts yesterday at Columbus University's Christmas party. The gifts will go to the police collection for Washington's needy children. Left to right, Irene King, Augustine Lesko, William McMahon (Santa Claus), Ann Racioppi and Mary Goheen as they filled the policeman's arms with their gifts.

Tony Galento Rated Top Heavyweight Challenger

The Washington Post Sports

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This Morning

With Shirley Povich

Bananas!

(News note—Zeke Bonura leads all American League first basemen in fielding in 1938.)

Mebbe so, but now I'll tell one: F. Donald Coster was guilty of no wrongdoing; Adolf Hitler is being seriously considered for the Nobel Peace Prize; the Redskins went through the 1938 season not only undefeated but unscored on, and two and two add up to a grand total of seven!

POVICH.

Preposterous, my eye! Those are little white lies compared to the intelligence-insulting and fabulous fib spun by the 1938 American League fielding figures which unblushingly state that Bonura was the league's best fielding first baseman last season.

Confucius, Shakespeare or whatever sage it was who first said figures don't prevaricate is probably revolving in his mausoleum at the announcement that the figures show Bonura to be the defensive ace of the league. In their day, figures were an exact science and not capable of proving any such fallacy. But of course they could not anticipate the statistical gymnastics of twentieth century folks.

Just Larceny

Fielding averages are incurably false. Their crimes against deserving ball players are habitual. They are not new offenders. Each year at this season they profane the great law of percentages. If fielding averages were human, and headquarters dicks were asked to explain them, they would say of the fielding statistics: "They've got larceny in their blood."

It's true. It must be if a defensive ham like Bonura can be shown as the leader of the league's first basemen. And this is not the first time. Three times during his comparatively brief career, clumsy Zeke has finished the season with the figures showing him to be the best defensive first baseman in the league. Confidentially, fielding averages give off an unpleasant aroma.

They're not to be trusted. Because, in the first place, fielding averages do not play fair with all ball players. Bonura, who plays first base on a silver standard—on a dime—does not accept any fielding chances except those hit directly at him. Thus the plays that Bonura attempts must necessarily be easy ones. And his errors necessarily few. Other first basemen, more alert, more agile, attempt the difficult chances and are penalized in the averages if they make errors.

McQuinn's Better

Bill Terry, new proprietor of Zeke Bonura, should be cautioned not to place too much faith in big Zeke's fielding average. Because Zeke is not the best fielding first baseman in the league. A better American League first baseman than Bonura is Georgfe McQuinn, of the Browns. Another one is Hank Greenberg. Another is Jimmy Foxx. Others are Joe Kuhel, Lou Gehrig and Hal Trosky. That about takes 'em all in.

Among those who are not kidding themselves about Bonura's fielding prowess is Zeke himself. He knows he is no gazelle out there around first base. "I'm not fancy," says Zeke. "I'm a big man. I can't get around like some of these other fellows. Up there at the plate, that's where I'm an important guy."

Zeke has few pretentions about his fielding. There was the time in Orlando last spring when it reached his ears that he was being compared unfavorably to Joe Kuhel in the matter of starting those first-to-second-to-first double-plays. Zeke wasn't mad about it. He laughed.

"So what?" he asked. "All right, I don't make those kind of plays. But nobody else makes 'em more than two or three times a month. But I'm up there with a bat in my hand four times a game. That's more important."

Not Too Awful!

Bonura is neither as good a first baseman as the league figures blandly show him to be, nor is he as bad as Washington fans are prone to describe him. Washington fans have, in fact, been spoiled by a dazzling succession of brilliant first basemen—Chick Gandil, Joe Judge, Joe Kuhel, who were artists at their work. Bonura's shortcomings have probably been exaggerated.

He can't go to his right. That's a fact. Because of that, Buddy Meyer was forced to cover more territory than any other second baseman in the league. But Zeke does all right on balls hit to his left. That is ordinarily pay-off territory for ground balls close to the line which skip against the fences and evolve as extra-base hits. Zeke, a right-hander with his mitt on his left hand, does tolerably well with balls hit to his left.

To give Bonura his due, he's as good as any in the league on thrown balls. He's not timid when a thrown ball and a base runner are converging on him at the same time. He'll hold it if he can get his mitt on it. He'll make no errors on infielders' throws than any other first baseman, and he'll make fewer than most. But he won't get those balls hit to his right and that is an important part of the first baseman's job. And as long as it is, Zeke Bonura is not the best first baseman in the league, figures or no figures.

Sheeketski New Coach at Holy Cross

Backfield Mentor Succeeds Anderson; At 29, Is One of Youngest Coaches

By the Associated Press.

Worcester, Mass., Dec. 18.—Joseph L. Sheeketski, backfield coach at Holy Cross the past six seasons, tonight was named head football coach. He succeeds Dr. Eddie Anderson, who resigned three weeks ago to accept a position at the University of Iowa.

The appointment was announced by Directors of Athletics Tom McCabe from Sheeketski's home in Detroit, where he signed a three-year contract. Financial terms were not revealed.

Only 29

McCabe announced that Sheeketski, who is only 29 years old and one of the youngest head coaches at any major college, will be given complete command. He will select his own assistants.

Sheeketski came to Holy Cross with Dr. Anderson in 1933 straight from Notre Dame, where he had been a star right halfback for three seasons. He proved himself an outstanding backfield tutor and his popularity with the players was such that, when college officials recently polled the letter men concerning their choice for a new coach, he was an unanimous selection.

Ideal Man

It had been announced that Sheeketski would accompany Dr. Anderson to Iowa as his first assistant and it was not known until tonight that he had been an applicant for the berth here.

McCabe said:

"We feel that Joe is the ideal man to carry on. He is thoroughly acquainted with the Notre Dame system and with the players. He will have their confidence."

Sheeketski said, "We face a difficult schedule next season, but we have good material and the spirit of the squad is excellent."

He is a native of Mount Carmel, Pa., but now lives in Detroit.

He played right halfback at Notre Dame under Rockne and under Hunk Anderson.

His only coaching experience has been at Holy Cross, where he has assisted Anderson in compiling a record of 47 victories, four ties and seven losses during the six seasons.

Sheeketski Under Contract at Iowa

Iowa City, Iowa, Dec. 18 (AP).—Prof. Karl E. Leib, chairman of the University of Iowa Athletic Board, said tonight with regard to the announcement that Joe Skeeketski had been named Holy Cross football coach:

"He is under contract to us and I personally have too much faith in Sheeketski to think that he will break his agreement with us.

"I feel quite confident that he will not break his obligation here."

Prof. Lieb said his earlier statement, that selection of a backfield coach to assist Dr. Eddie Anderson, new Iowa mentor, would be left entirely in Anderson's hands, was made "before I had time to go into it."

Sheeketski was to have come here as backfield coach under Anderson, but it was announced tonight he had signed a three-year contract to succeed Anderson at Holy Cross where he has been an assistant since 1933.

'Hate to Lose Him!' Says Eddie Anderson

Brookline, Mass., Dec. 18 (AP).—Dr. Eddie Anderson, informed tonight that his successor as head football coach at Holy Cross would be Joe Sheeketski, his No. 1 assistant, remarked, "That's swell for Joe."

"I hate to lose him," Anderson added, "because I've been counting on him in my new job at Iowa next year. He'll do a good job, and I feel honored that the Crusaders should pick him."

Anderson will take over the coaching reins at the University of Iowa next year.

Rodak Signs to Meet Leone Efrati, Dec. 29

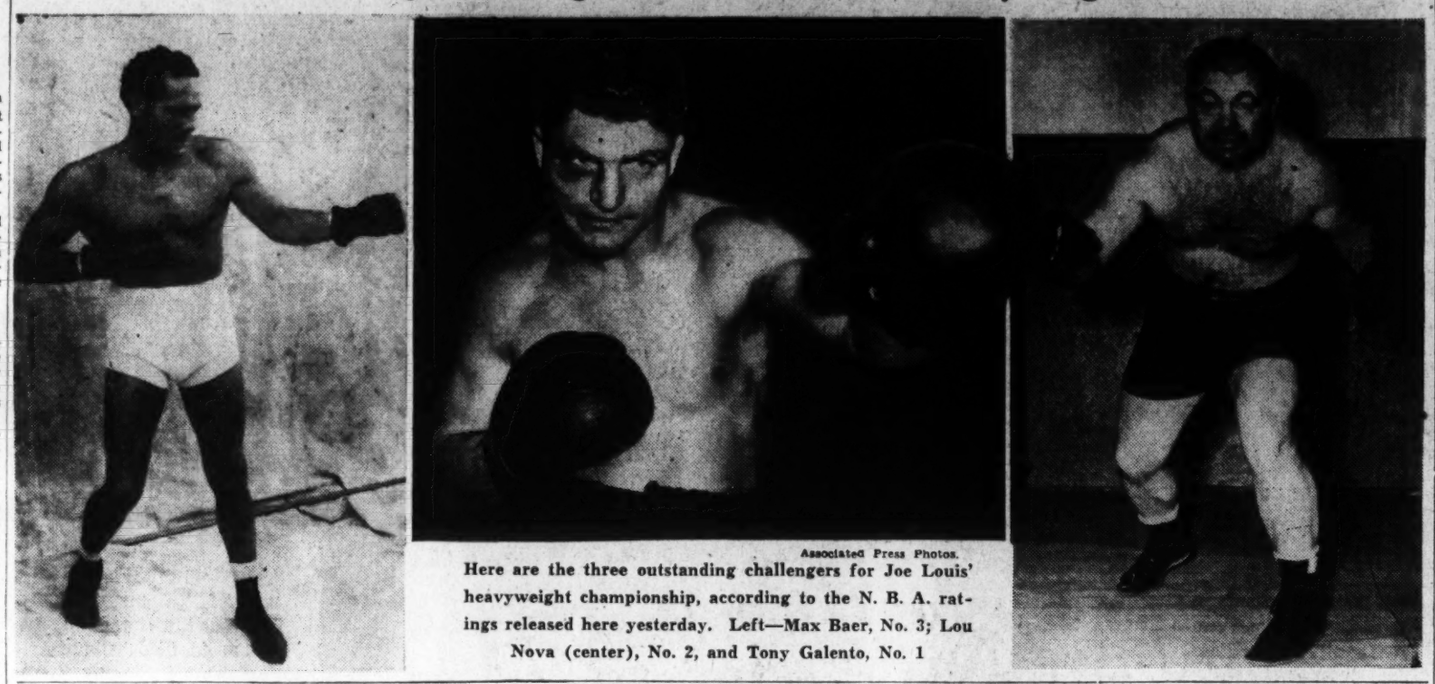
Chicago, Dec. 18 (AP).—Jim Mullen, Chicago boxing promoter, announced today he had signed Leo Rodak, leading contender for the featherweight title, and Leone Efrati, of Chicago, for a ten-round battle December 29.

Al Roth, New York lightweight, and Billy Marquart, of Canada, will go ten rounds in the semifinal engagement. Mullen said two other ten-round bouts would be on the program.

Rangers Beaten

Chicago, Dec. 18 (U.P.).—Rookie Phil Besler and the veteran Harold March scored goals in the first few minutes of the opening period to start the Chicago Blackhawks off on a 5-0 victory over the New York Rangers before 13,000 at the Stadium tonight.

Outstanding Challengers for Joe Louis' Heavyweight Title



Associated Press Photos.

Here are the three outstanding challengers for Joe Louis' heavyweight championship, according to the N. B. A. ratings released here yesterday. Left—Max Baer, No. 3; Lou Nova (center), No. 2, and Tony Galento, No. 1

St. John's Quintet Tackles Anacostia

Johnnies Seek Second Successive Schoolboy Cage Title; Indians Meet Mount Rainier Later This Week

Hopes of eventually tucking away their second consecutive schoolboy basketball championship will be uppermost in the minds of St. John's cagers tonight as they open their campaign and the week's high school cage activities in a match with twice-beaten Anacostia on the latter's floor starting at 7 p. m. The game will end Johnny competition before the holidays, but the Indians will carry on, meeting Mount Rainier in the second half of a home-and-home agreement on the Mounts' floor Wednesday.

With two of the stellar dribblers who brought St. John's citywide recognition as champion last year, Coach Gene Augusterfer has the foundation of a club almost as good as the 1937-38 edition. Joe Gallagher, called the best ball handler of any prep quintet, has returned along with Jim Mulvihill, stocky guard and pot-shot artist. A quintet of converted gridders, Frank Cady, Herbie Munhall, Ed Fogarty, Martin Hunt and Joe Daly are likely prospects for vacancies left by Jim Geibel, "Bap" Battiste and Johnny Swagart.

Though St. John's isn't minimizing the strength of tonight's opponent, the contest will hardly be the toughest on its schedule. The Indians, depending on inexperienced material, have dropped games to Mount Rainier and Devitt Prep in quick succession.

In its first home stand of the season—it was completely throttled by George Washington High last week—Eastern's interhigh champion club plays Bethesda-Chevy Chase in a beautiful new gymnasium Tuesday. The game is carded for 8 p. m., preceded by a clash between Roosevelt and Eastern alumni basketers. Still earlier in the evening an alumni banquet will be staged in the Armory.

Eastern's opening endeavor against G. W. High was almost a laughable thing, the highly touted White Tide being limited to but three field goals and six good foul shots. Lenny Mills, star of Tech's team of a few years ago, seemed to be the only Easterner with any sort of basket eye. Bethesda has had a stern competitive test to date, and its record is not to be overlooked. Two wins in four starts, the losses coming from a superior Western aggregation and a scrappier Tech five, have polished off some rough edges the Easterner's may still be suffering from.

Also on Tuesday, at 3:30, Western High meets its second opponent in the Western Alumni. Two more alumni clashes on Thursday close out the week's and year's activity. Bethesda and Montgomery-Blair meet their graduated net greats, the first game in Bethesda's gym at 7:30 p. m. and the second in Silver Spring at 8:15.

Cards Meet The Citadel

C. U. Seeks First Victory Tonight In Home Gym

Catholic University's luck-forsaken Cardinals, beaten one point by Loyola and three points by Clemson in their only starts of the season will try for that elusive first victory again tonight, meeting The Citadel in the home gym at 8:15 o'clock.

The Citadel, not at all impressive in losing to George Washington Saturday night, is expected to put forth an improved team, following its day of rest, and should be a real test for Fod Cotton's Cardinals.

C. U. will start the same five men who played the entire game against Clemson, Wayne Ambrose and Dick Miller, forwards; Carmen Pirro, center, and Gene Daly and Johnny White, guards.

The visitors probably will start Burrows and Holt, forwards; Wilson at center, and Propst and Gilbert, guards.

Taranto-Wasman Beats Georgetown

Taranto and Wasman won the 135-pound championship of the National Capital League yesterday by defeating Georgetown, 12-0.

R. Schaefer and E. Walker scored touchdowns.

T. & W.	Position.	Georgetown.
R.Schaefer	L.E.	Bradfield
Rudderford	L.T.	J.Gavin
Cramer	L.G.	T.Gavin
Schwarner	Center	Seville
Venuto	R.G.	Allen
Twiford	R.T.	Kelliher
J.Schaefer	R.E.	S.Hilleary
Keipp	Q.B.	A.Walker
Anderson	L.H.	Cione
Pell	R.H.	Abell
Daley	F.B.	Tuel

Taranto & Wasman	6	6	0	0	12
Georgetown	0	0	0	0	0

Touchdowns—R. Schaefer, E. Walker. Substitutions: Taranto & Wasman—E. Walker, Bragg, Adams, King, Conrad, Yates, Keyser, Collins, Franklin, Ferry, Hartnett. Referee—J. Farrell.

Marvin Owens Start Honeymoon Trip

Detroit, Dec. 18 (AP).—Marvin Owen, third baseman of the Chicago White Sox who formerly played with the Detroit Tigers, and his bride, the former Violet Walsh, left here today on a honeymoon trip that will terminate at Owen's home in San Jose, Calif.

Three Share Scoring Lead

Zwisle, Klescz and Blumensaadt Top Goverment League

Three players on as many teams are setting the pace in the U. S. Government Basketball League, each with 45 tallies. They are Joe Zwisle, of Bolling Field, with 19 baskets and 7 fouls; Paul Blumensaadt, of Army Medical Center, with 18 field goals and 9 free throws, and John Klescz, of Marine Barracks, with 21 2-pointers and 3 penalty shots.

Bob Sharpe, of the General Accounting Office quint, is in second place with 42 points made in four games on 20 baskets and a pair of fouls. Joe Robinson, star center of the F. B. I. five, moved from fifteenth to third place with 40 tallies made in four tilts on 19 baskets and two free throws. Govedich of the Bolling Feld, with 38 markets, is tied for sixth place with Al Waters, of the F. B. I. outfit, both scoring 20 field goals and a couple of fouls in four games.

The first 25-point scorers in the league in games played up to and including December 19 are as follows:

	Gms.	G	FG	P
Zwisle, Bolling Field	3	19	7	45
Blumenstaadt, A. M. C.	5	18	9	45
Klescz, Marine Barracks	5	21	3	45
Sharpe, G. A. O.	4	20	2	42
Robinson, F. B. I.	4	19	2	40
Govedich, Bolling Field	4	18	2	38
Waters, F. B. I.	4	18	2	38
Milner, Marine Barracks	5	15	6	36
Cosse, A. M. C.	5	17	2	36
Krebs, Fort Myer	5	16	3	35
Morrison, Fort Myer	5	17	1	35
Dickerson, A. M. C.	5	14	6	34
Ware, Navy Yard Marines	4	15	4	34
Burns, Fort Myer	5	11	8	30
Weigel, Agriculture	3	13	2	28
Quigley, Engraving	4	10	7	27
Brandenberg, Fort Myer	5	9	7	25
Hager, Bolling Field	3	11	1	23
Finn, G. A. O.	4	9	5	23
Snock, Marine Barracks	5	11	1	23
Dean, F. B. I.	3	9	4	22
Schreiber, CCC	3	9	4	22
Di Iberto, Marine Barracks	5	10	2	22
Mucklow, Bolling Field	3	10	1	21

Miami Offers $100,000 Lure To Seabiscuit

Miami, Fla., Dec. 18 (U.P.).—A golden lure of $100,000 and the chance to become not only the biggest money winner of all time but also one of the turf's greatest champions are being used to woo Seabiscuit to Florida this winter, it was learned tonight.

The 1938 American handicap champion can have two cracks at $50,000 purses here—in a re-march with War Admiral or an Invitational that would include the mighty Man o' War colt, Stagehand, Lawrin and possibly Dauber and Pasteurized, and in the Widener Challenge Cup race.

It was considered a better than fair possibility that Owner Charles S. Howard would pass up California's $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap for the gold and glory at Hialeah Park here.

Seabiscuit, with earnings of $340,480, is only $35,000 short of Sun Beau's all-time mark, and it was believed likely Howard would elect to go for $100,000 in two stabs instead of gambling with the 134-pound impost on winning the Santa Anita.

Georgia Hays Wins Meyer Davis Stakes

Posts a Total of 1,159 to Finish 23 Pins Ahead of Field at Lucky Strike; Miss Hiser Takes Second Honors; Miss Rose Third

Georgia Hays, leader at the halfway mark of the Meyer Davis Sweepstakes, was still ahead last night at the conclusion of the event at Lucky Strike, where the Chevy Chase team member posted a 1,159 score for the ten games to top the field of 23 and win first money of $25.

Carolina Hiser, of the host alleys, had the title in her grasp as late as the final box of the tenth game, when she needed a three-pin spare to win the event, but the ball clipped the two inside pins and left one standing and that decided the tourney in favor of Mrs. Hays.

Lucy Rose, who cracked out a 629-set in the charity match at Convention Hall two hours before the finals, could have won by duplicating that effort but the Rosslyn team member finished in third place with a 577 and 1,122 total. Second place was worth $15 and Mrs. Rose received $10.

Miss Gulli Fourth

Lorraine Gulli, eight-time winner in the ten previous years of the Meyer Davis event, including six titles in a row the last six years, took advantage of a general letdown of the field to pull from fifteenth to fourth place with a grand total of 1,079 for the $7 prize.

Mrs. Hays' total was 15 pins under Miss Gulli's 1937 total.

Miss Gulli held a single pin margin over Evelyn Ellis for the last money prize, while Ruth Rothgeb, third at the end of the first block, could not better 86 in the eighth and tenth games and finished out of the money. Mabelle Herring, National Singles champion, and second after Saturday's set, rolled four games under 100 and finished in eighth place, trailing Broason Quaites.

Winner Rallies

Mrs. Hays started the final block with a 95 and Carolina Hiser overtook the lead, but the eventual winner rallied with consecutive counts of 131, 113, 117 and 113 to top the field by three pins.

Ruth Rothgeb with 132 and Bronson Quaites, 133, took first and second block high-game prizes of $3 each, while Mabelle Herring and Mrs. Ora Emege, respectively, were set-winners with 580 and 571.

Meyer Davis Pin Scores

	1st blk.				2d blk.	Ttl.
Georgia Hays	590— 95	131	113	117	113—569	—1159
Carolina Hiser	573—119	103	126	110	123—584	—1156
Lucy Rose	543— 92	110	129	114	132—577	—1122
Lorraine Gulli	515—114	99	131	99	121—564	—1079
Evelyn Ellis	558— 90	95	113	123	99—520	—1078
Ruth Rothgeb	575—124	105	86	98	86—499	—1074
Bronson Quaites	507—121	133	101	101	94—550	—1057
Mabelle Hering	580— 91	104	98	97	96—476	—1056
Blanche Wooten	560— 86	104	120	93	92—496	—1055
Julia Young	539—112	96	92	89	117—506	—1045
Ida Weinberg	511—126	120	90	96	99—531	—1042
Polly Ingrue	516—104	99	107	103	105—522	—1038
Ora Emge	465—113	115	130	101	112—571	—1036
Virginia Calvagno	533— 85	106	98	107	87—483	—1016
Catherine Quigley	517—102	119	89	88	110—508	—1025
Margie Smith	518—104	104	91	100	97—496	—1014
Ella Limerick	521—105	102	93	91	93—484	—1005
Mamie Payne	530— 89	93	98	91	102—473	—1003
Esther Burton	508— 90	93	92	95	109—479	— 987
Mildred Miskelly	479— 96	113	98	89	111—507	— 986
Alma Golomboski	501— 83	109	99	95	96—482	— 983
Hazel Jarrett	469— 85	91	104	97	93—470	— 939
Hazel Funkhouser	450— 76	93	99	99	103—470	— 920

Plumbers Top S. E. League

Break a Three-Way Tie in Community Center Standings

The complexion of the standing of the teams in the Southeast Community Center Basketball League was completely changed during the past week. A week ago, Atchison-Keller Plumbers (Falls Church), Young Democrats of Southern Maryland and Cal's Valet were tied for first place with four victories and no losses. Harry Bassin, "Bill" Noonan, "Preacher" Adkins and company knocked off the Young Democrats, and in a crucial game Atchison-Keller Plumbers dropped Cal's Valet down into a second-place tie with the Democrats. That left the Plumbers in full possession of first-place honors.

Games to be played this week that should have a bearing on the first-half title will be those between Cal's Valet and D. C. Commissioners and O'Donnell's Restaurant and Young Democrats, both to be played next Thursday night.

This week's schedule follows: Tonight: 7:15, Clovers vs. Christ Church; 8:15, Atchison-Keller Plumbers vs. Social Security; 9:15, Commissioners vs. O'Donnell's. Wednesday night: Treasury vs. Christ Church. Thursday night: 7:15, Petracom vs. United Clay Products; 8:15, Cal's Valet vs. Commissioners, and at 9:15, O'Donnell's vs. Young Democrats.

Standing of Teams

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Atchison-Keller	5	0	O'Donnell's	2	2
Y'ng Democrats	5	1	Treasury	2	4
Cal's Valet	4	1	Christ Church	1	5
Commissioners	3	2	Peoples	1	3
Clovers	3	2	Petracoms	0	6
United Clay	3	3			

Nova Ranked Number 2; Baer Third

Tommy Farr Dropped From First 10 by N.B.A. Rating Group At Meeting Here

By Lewis F. Atchison.

Either standing by its guns or stuck with its story, the National Boxing Association yesterday reaffirmed its faith in Tony Galento's fistic prowess by naming him the outstanding contender for Joe Louis' heavyweight crown on its quarterly ratings list.

Announcement of the selections followed a brief, one-night meeting at the Willard Hotel, presided over by Heine Miller, chairman of the ratings committeee and secretary of the District Boxing Commission.

The lone dissenting vote against Galento's ranking was submitted by Joe Triner, of the Illinois ring commission, who voted by telephone from a sick bed in the Hotel Astor, New York. No reason was assigned to his unwillingness to call Galento the No. 1 challenger.

Ranked second to the New Jersey beer-tap engineer was Lou Nova, youthful Californian, whose pugilistic career reached a new high last week in New York, where he smeared Tommy Farr for a 15-round loss. Farr, whose loss to Nova was largely responsible for the youngster's high estate, was dropped from the first ten, but accorded honorable mention.

Max Baer Ranks Third

Max Baer, former world's champion, was voted third place, followed in order by Willie Reddish, Roscoe Toles, Arturo Lovell, Red Burman, Buddy Knox, Gus Dorazio and Tony Musto. Alex Kettles and Bill Boyd, who recently knocked out Buck Everett at Turner's Arena, were given honorable mention.

Bob Pastor, of New York, was ignored in keeping with an ultimatum issued at the last committee meeting. At that time Pastor was ranked fourth with the proviso that he box Burman during the ensuing quarter. Failure to do so, he was warned, would result in his being dropped from the list. Pastor is on the N. B. A. suspended list at the time for his failure to fulfill a contract to box Burman in New Jersey.

No Washington fighters were recognized by the committee, which dropped George Abrams from the middleweight list, but gave Steve Mamakos a nod on the honorable mention list of welterweights.

No noteworthy changes were made in the light-heavyweight rankings, but the committee said John Henry Lewis had informed it he would vacate his title if he won the heavyweight championship from Joe Louis. He added that he had no intention of making such a move at this time.

N. B. A. Defends Krieger

The N. B. A. vigorously disagreed with New York in the middleweight mixup, putting the full weight of its authority and influence behind Solly Krieger, whom it termed the champion by right of succession. Fred Apostoli, recognized as champion in New York, was named No. 1 challenger for the title.

Matt Raymond, former Duke University star; Bill Conn, rapidly rising Pittsburgher, and Marty Simmons, of Chicago, were given honorable mention on the light-heavyweight list.

Ossie Stewart, frequently referred to as the uncrowned middleweight champion; Teddy Yarosz and Erich Seelig were nominated for honorable mention among the 165-pounders.

The committee also recommended three matches, which, it said, would clear up muddled conditions in the featherweight, bantamweight and flyweight divisions. The first was that within 60 days a title match should be staged between Leo Rodak and Petey Scalzo, or Joey Archibald, the winner to be declared world champion of the featherweights. Contracts for the bout would include a clause stipulating that the winner must meet the third man no later than May, 1939.

Escobar Must Fight

Sixto Escobar, who has not defended his 118-pound crown within the required 60-day span, was ordered to fight Johnny (Kayo) Morgan, Henry Hook or George Mace within the next 60 days. Both Morgan and Hook hold over-the-weight decisions over Sixto.

In the flyweight division the committee recommended that the winner of a 15-round bout between Little Dado and Small Montana be declared the American champion, and that Peter Kane, of England, meet the victor for the world title. In refusing to recognize Kane as champion of the world the committee said it could not accept him as titleholder on the strength of his victory over Jackie Jurich, as Mon-

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C.C.C. Play Speeds Up

With the homestretch in view, play in the Community Center's Indoor Softball League is expected to hit a fast clip now with the last six games of the second half due to be played this week in Tech High gym.

The first of three double-headers will be played tonight with Plaza meeting the Unknowns at 7 o'clock and the Community Center All-Stars clashing with Treasury at 8:30 o'clock. Plaza leads the league in the second half series, having won three and lost none.

Community Center All-Stars, the Unknowns and Victory Post are tied for second place with two victories and a loss.

The second double-header in two days finds Victory Post playing Procurement at 7 o'clock tomorrow. In the nightcap Unknowns face Community Center All-Stars. The big game of the week should occur Thursday when Plaza and Victory Post battle at 8:30 o'clock. Treasury and Procurement meet that night at 7 o'clock.

Is Nova a Bum or a Champion? It's Hard to Tell at First Glance!

By Stanley Woodward.

Special Post Writer.

New York, Dec. 18.—Lou Nova doesn't look like his pictures. The camera turns his hair black when in reality it's sandy. It fails to reproduce his bushy eyebrows, which have a whitish cast, or the beefy look of his nose after the first jab lands on it.

We hadn't seen him until Friday night and we were surprised both by his looks and his style, which is vaguely reminiscent of Tunney and Braddock, yet is actually unlike that of either.

He stands up straight and sometimes gets his legs tangled. He looks startled. He is well muscled and heavily tanned, yet in some illogical way he gives the impression of frailness. He frequently seems to be on the verge of exhaustion, barely able to lift his hands, and just as frequently he rallies to something approximating the punching power of a first-class heavyweight. He moves convulsively when an opponent feints at him and yet he seldom forgets to protect his chin.

He has acquired part of what we shall advisedly call a "higher education." He attends symphony concerts, or so the dastardly rumor goes. His friends claim he doesn't like to hurt people, and the truth is that he gives the impression of being a little apologetic in the ring, although occasionally he can make his punches explode.

He doesn't give you the idea that he is formidable when he steps out. The bushy, whitish eyebrows and the reddened nose contrive to give him a startled look which excites in ringside watchers a sympathy he doesn't need.

He is what you would call a "nice" boxer. He sticks out his left hand in the orthodox manner and catches counters in his right glove. His footwork is generally to be deplored; he never seems to be set to punch; he looks confused and outmanned in the scuffles, and then all of a sudden he booms up with something that does damage.

He is a mass of paradoxes and therefore your inexpert reporter will decline to vote "yes" on the experts' theory that Joe Louis will make hash of him when and if they meet. Like those who know more about it, we think Joe Louis would make hash out of him now, but in the course of his fight with Tommy Farr he furnished so many surprises that reservations are necessary. In short, we won't be surprised if he is knocked cold in his next start or if he goes on to win the championship. He doesn't lend himself to logic.

In walloping Farr, he equaled the par for the course established by Max Baer and bettered the performance of Louis, who left-handed his way to an unconvincing, if deserved, decision over Tommy, and Braddock, who influenced a questionable verdict with a game rally in the last round.

If you can accept the craggy and often-defeated Welshman as a constant, then Nova's operations on his long-suffering map were more praiseworthy than anyone's. He had Farr out on his feet in the fourteenth round just after he himself seemed ready to fall from exhaustion.

The experience of the Farr-Nova fight was pretty bucolic after the drawn-out hardships and hysteria of the football season. Unlike the competitors in the intercollegiate circus, Performers Farr and Nova have no alumni. Moreover, they operate indoors where it's warm and handy to the subway.

The experts tell us that Nova has been pushed along too fast and that it would have been wiser for him to take on further breathers before engaging a battler of Farr's toughness. Nova now finds himself with no one to fight except Max Baer and Louis.

They tell us that it would be a crime if he were thrown in with Louis and that Baer would, beyond the shadow of a doubt, stiffen him. It appears to us that boxing experts attain a degree of expertness which surpasses for clairvoyance anything attained by those of any other sport.

They came out flat-footed not long ago, for instance, and prophesied that Tony Galento would defeat Otis Thomas. The intercession of the great sportsman, Billy Duffy, was necessary to promulgate this outcome, of course. Quite a percentage of them, including our Caswell Adams, foresaw the Nova conquest of Farr, despite the fact that the gamblers who block the lobby of the Garden on fight nights and hockey nights, made Wales the favorite at odds of seven and eight to five.

Still Nova is such a combination of deceptions and incongruities that he may ultimately become something that none of us expects him to be.

Bull Dogs Conquer Tanks in Rain, 16-0

Los Angeles, Dec. 18 (AP).—Sloshing through rain and a slippery field, the Los Angeles Bulldogs conquered the Louisville Tanks, newly crowned champions of the American Professional Football League, 16 to 0 before a throng of 3,000 persons here today.

The Punch Line

The Rankings

By Lewis F. Atchison.

Elsewhere on these pages you will find the quarterly ratings of the National Boxing Association, with Tony Galento's name, like that of Abou ben Adhem, leading all the rest. That will cause no raising of eyebrows in New York, heavyweight headquarters, where Signor Galento is regarded as a jovial beer-guzzler, but strictly a second rate fisticuffer with two pairs of pants.

ATCHISON.

The N. B. A. operates on the theory that a fighter must be ranked on top until one listed below defeats him—a commendable practice. But it is no secret that the men rated below the Jersey tavernkeeper can't get within writing distance of Tony unless they agree to wear the hardware bracelets—a practice not so commendable. The odor of the late, unlamented Thomas-Galento bout still lingers in Philadelphia.

Max Baer, ranked third, probably could dust off Tony in about five heats—if serious, and Lou Nova, ranked second, should have no difficulty getting the decision. But there will be no Galento-Baer, or Galento-Nova matches, however, because both Baer and Navo are aligned with New York, and scheduled to fight for Mike Jacobs next year. Galento, meanwhile, will continue to hurl challenges, fight tankers, and remain the N. B. A.'s No. 1 standard bearer.

Here's Mr. Baer

How Baer, incidentally, was rated third is a mystery. Here, evidently, the theory of rank in accordance with results is discarded. Unless you count personal appearances, newspaper utterances, and an occasional photo, Max has been as idle as a WPA worker these many months.

Nova, by another quirk, is ranked second largely on the strength of his victory over Tommy Farr, and Farr is dropped from the first 10. On that basis Farr should either be included—and he certainly rates higher than Willie Reddish, listed fourth—or not too much importance should be attached to Nova's victory over him.

Reddish, if memory serves correctly, staged one of the most atrocious fights ever witnessed at Griffith Stadium with the aid of John Henry Lewis. At that time he didn't look like a good second-rater, much less a first-10 battler. His victory over Roscoe Toles—himself no fighter to wax enthusiastic about, was responsible for Reddish's high rating.

The N. B. A. deserves credit for its efforts to untangle the feather-weight, bantamweight and light-weight knots. Whether it is able to enforce its ultimatums is another question, but boxing will benefit greatly if the matches suggested by the committee are made and executed.

A shining tribute to his own improvement and the managerial ability of Jimmy White, one of the smartest of the younger agents in the game is Abe Denner. Denner, who appeared here several times and undoubtedly will be seen in the local ring from time to time, is destined for better things.

It is a sad commentary on the change of fortunes to find Ossie Stewart, the hard-hitting Negro, given only honorable mention among the middleweights, when he was hailed as the uncrowned 160-pound champion not so long ago.

Ruddy Marshall, rated fourth, was flattened by Stewart in two rounds at the Arena two years ago, and, if the truth be known, probably would be chilled again if they should meet.

Joey Ferrando, whom one of our District ring judges had the pleasure of calling a "bum" to the matchmaker's face, gets in the eighth spot among the light-weights. We wonder if the aforementioned judge still holds to the same opinion—which would be calling the ratings committee a lot of bums, or has softened in his attitude?

The presence of Aurelien LaMothe's name in the seventh position on the flyweight list is a sad reflection on conditions in that class. If LaMothe is the seventh best flyweight, the boys had better hang 'em up and organize a football team.

More than ratings will come out of the committee meeting held at the Willard, for a movement was instigated to improve the caliber of radio fight broadcasts. It sounds like a grand idea, and we sincerely hope the association's efforts are crowned with success.

If the idea to have Rodak, Archibald and Scalzo meet in a modified featherweight tournament is well received, the second bout probably will be fought at Griffith Stadium.

The Arena will be dark next Monday night because of the holidays. Operations will be resumed January 2 with Scalzo and some suitable opponent in the feature bout . . . Mancini, 'tis rumored, will supplant Joey Archibald as Rodak's opponent in Chicago the latter part of this month . . . S. H. Stein, of the Treasury Department, who as Sammy Stearns compiled an enviable record as a lightweight, is organizing a departmental boxing team and is anxious to hear from prospective candidates.

Coaches Dissatisfied With Duke Drills

Durham, N. C., Dec. 18 (AP).—Duke's coaching staff tonight expressed "complete dissatisfaction" with performance of the Blue Devils in Saturday's practice and said the workout "left practically everything to be desired."

The Devils enjoyed a day of rest today, but they go back to the practice field tomorrow for the first of their final two workouts at home. They entrain for Pasadena at 4 p. m. Tuesday after an early workout.

'Jug' McSpaden Wins $10,000 Miami Open Tourney

Shoots a 69 On Last Day; Totals 275

Withstands Closing Rally by Picard to Win Title; Revolta Finished Third

By the United Press.

Miami, Fla., Dec. 18.—Harold (Jug) McSpaden, of Winchester, Mass., won the biggest prize of his tournament career today when he shot a one-under-par 69 to turn back a savage, last-round threat by Henry Picard, of Hershey, Pa., and win the Miami Open Golf championship.

(McSpaden, playing for the first time in this tourney without his favorite briar pipe gripped between his teeth, was out in 36, but carded 33 coming home for a 72-hole total of 275—five under par—to take top prize of $2,500 in the $10,000 event.

Picard, who started out two strokes behind McSpaden this morning, almost caught up when he trailed but one blow after the sixteenth hole. A bad drive on the seventeenth ended his last chance, and he came to the eighteenth needing a birdie for a tie.

Picard rallied and ended with 35, 33—68—276 for second money of $1,250.

Revolta Is Third

Johnny Revolta, of Chicago, who started this morning tied with Picard, shot 71 for the final 18 holes and took third money of $1,000 with an aggregate of 279.

Denny Shute, of Coral Gables, Fla., and Ben Hogan, swarthy pro from White Plains, N. Y., were tied for fourth with 280s and divided the $1,350 fourth and fifth prizes. Frank Walsh, bushy-haired veteran from Bretton Wood, N. H., who had 66 yesterday, fired 67 today for 281 and sixth money of $500.

Defending Champion Sam Snead, of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., who was a 5-to-1 favorite to retain his title, finished with 282, deadlocked with Jimmy Thomson, of Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa. Both had sub-par cards today—Thomson 68 and Snead 69. They received $350 each.

McSpaden, who blazed into prominence by mopping up the 1934-35 California winter circuit, was finishing one of his most dismal seasons, having won only $2,390 and two minor titles—the Massachusetts Open and the New England Professional Golfers Association match crown.

Over Par Only Once

His four-under-par 66 over the first round failed to excite anyone here and the bookies only dropped the price against him from 16-1 to 12-1. When he came through with a 69 the second day, betters began to sit up and take notice. Odds against him changed to virtually even money with the bookies admitting "we've got enough of him." The only time he went over par in the tourney was yesterday, when he carded 71. This still left him with a two-stroke lead over Picard and Revolta.

McSpaden shot even par for the first eight holes today before he became annoyed at a cameraman and went one over on the ninth. At the tenth, he dropped an eight-footer for a birdie three to stand even with par. He chipped dead to the pin and canned a four-footer to go one under at the thirteenth. He did the same on the fifteenth, when his second shot was short of the green.

Jitters Creep Up

The collegiate-looking Easterner began getting jittery on the short sixteenth and asked the crowd to keep still before he made his second shot. He protested against cameramen as he bogied the par four seventeenth, needing two putts from less than 4 feet. After driving far to the left on the eighteenth, he made a beautiful recovery and was down in two for a par four to give him a 69—and the gold.

Behind Thomson and Snead came Craig Wood of New York, with 283, good for $200. National Open Champion Ralph Guldahl, playing in his first tournament since an operation, was tied with E. J. (Dutch) Harrison, of Chicago, at 284. Each got $125.

Sam Byrd, ex-outfielder of the New York Yankees, blazed home with 66 to deadlock Johnny Bulla, of Chicago, and Bobby Cruickshank, of Delary Beach, Fla., with 285 each. Byrd's 31 on the back nine was the lowest of the tournament.

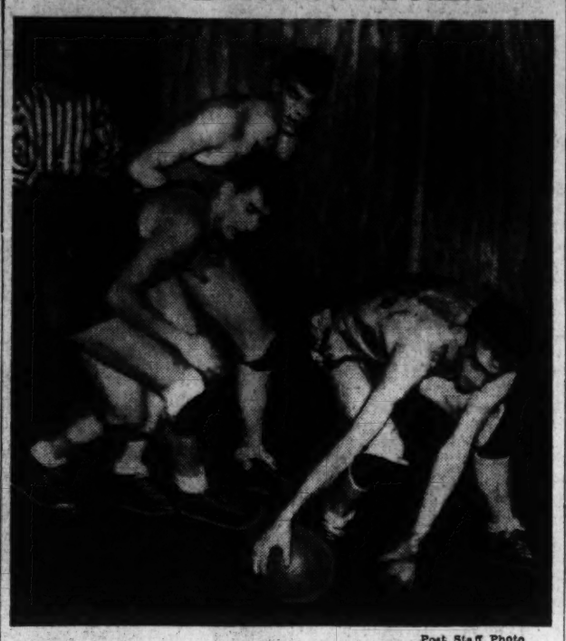
At 286 were Jimmy Hines, New York; Mike Turnesa, New York; John Geertsen, Salt Lake City; Herman Barron, New York; Claude Harmon, Chicago; Paul Runyan, White Plains, N. Y.; Harry Cooper, Chicago; Billy Burke, Bellaire, Fla.; Frank Moore, Mamaroneck, N. Y.; Clayton Heafner, Greensboro, N. C., and Tony Penna, Boca Raton, Fla.

The 290 group included Tommy Armour, Boca Raton, Fla.; Jules Huot, Quebec, Canada, and Ted Luther, Pittsburgh.

Orioles Beaten

New York, Dec. 18 (U.P.).—The New York Rovers defeated the Baltimore Orioles, 3-2, in an Eastern Amateur Hockey League game today at Madison Square Garden.

Action in Professional Game



Post Staff Photo

Carson of Heurich is diving for the ball in this bit of action in yesterday's Heurich-Jewel game at the Heurich Gym. The Heurichs won, 27-26. Schiffer of the Jewels and Kweller of the Heurichs stand behind. The referee is Sugerman.

D. C. Pros Triumph Over Jewels, 27-26

Kit Carson's Field Goal in Last 10 Seconds of Play Saves Game for Locals; Play Night Game in New York

Grabbing the tap from Whitey Wilson on a jump ball with 10 seconds to go and dribbling quickly into the basket, Kit Carson, former Washington and Lee basketball captain, yesterday made the field goal that gave Washington Heurich Brewers a 27-26 victory over New York's second-place Jewels in a stunning American Basketball League upset before 200 fans at Heurich gymnasium.

Immediately after the game both teams made special connections for Brooklyn, N. Y., for a 9 o'clock nightcap.

First Victory

It was Heurich's first victory as against five defeats in American Basketball League play and immediately after the game New York's Jewels informed Referee Lou Sugarman that they would officially protest the verdict.

The Jewels will base their protest on a technical foul called by Sugarman when Heurich players insisted that Willie Rubenstein, Jewel forward, had been substituted for the third time in final period play. When the official scorer upheld General Manager Bob McDonald and Heurich players in their protest, Arthur Zahn, Brewer guard, converted the foul, reducing New York's lead to 24-18.

Then it was that Heurich started its game-winning attack. Mickey Schonfeld pocketed two field goals and Arthur Zahn a foul shot to make it 23-24, and Heurich forged ahead at 25-24 when Schonfeld sank a beautiful shot from sidecourt.

Slott Ties Score

George Slott tied it up at 25-all on a free toss and New York appeared a certain winner when Referee Sugarman called a personal foul and then a technical on Schonfeld when he protested too vigorously. Slott making good on one of these shots to send the Jewels into a 26-to-25 lead. Then Carson made good with his game-winning field goal.

In victory, Heurich waged one of the gamest fights ever seen on a local court. Trailing at the end of the first period, 11 to 6, and at the end of the second third, 22 to 11, the locals rallied to outscore the Jewels in the final period, 16 points to 4. Schonfeld, regaining the scoring eye he lost against Troy last week, dumped in five field goals and a free toss, but big Ed Kweller's great work at center; Carson's brilliant all-around play, and Zahn's accuracy from the foul mark all were huge contributing factor.

In a fast Heurich Amateur Basketball League preliminary game, Hot Shoppes nosed out Trans-Lux Hour Glass, 38 to 37.

The Heurichs lost the night game to the Jewels, 35-24, in Brooklyn. The teams went to New York immediately after the afternoon game here.

Heurich.	G	FG	P	Jewels.	G	FG	P
Carson,f	2	3	7	Rubenstein,f	2	5	9
Buncher,f	0	0	0	Spindell,f	1	1	3
Schonfeld,f	5	1	11	Schiffer,f	1	0	2
Wilson,f	1	0	2	Pelkington,c	1	2	4
Kweller,c	0	0	0	Slott,g	1	5	7
Bunchner,g	0	1	1	Russell,g	0	1	1
Preilicher,g	0	0	0	Gerson,g	0	0	0
Zahn,g	0	5	5				
				Totals	6	14	26
Totals	8	11	27				

Referee—Sugarman.

Hot Shoppes	G	FG	P	Hour Glass.	G	FG	P
Kennedy,f	1	0	2	Anderson,f	3	0	6
Doering,f	3	0	6	Holloran,f	6	0	12
H.Brown,f	3	1	7	Hickey,c	6	3	15
Marriott,g	3	0	6	Horle,g	1	1	3
McCready,g	1	1	3	Palmer,g	0	1	1
Lund,g	7	0	14				
Russo,g	0	0	0	Totals	16	5	37
E.Brown,g	0	0	0				
Totals	18	2	38				

Referee—Lieb.

Woman Coach Of Boys' Five Admits Failure

Johnson City, Tenn., Dec. 18 (AP). Miss Jo Chapman shook her pretty head today and said coaching a boys' basketball team is "very fascinating but at the same time very difficult."

And then with naive candor she added:

"I don't think any woman can coach a boys' team successfully, and our record to date bears that out pretty soundly, I think."

Her team, the Martin's College quintet of Pulaski, Tenn., opened the season by losing three straight games.

Miami Scores

H. McSpaden, Winchester, Mass.	69	73	275
Henry Picard, Hersney, Pa.	68	76	276
J. Revolta, Coral Gables, Fla.	71	79	279
Ben Hogan, White Plains, N. Y.	70	80	280
Denny Shute, Coral Gables, Fla.	69	80	280
Frank Walsh, Brettonwoods, N. H.	67	81	281
S. Snead, Wh. Sul. Spgs., W. Va.	69	82	282
Jimmy Thomson, Shawnee, Pa.	68	82	282
Craig Wood, Mamaroneck, N. Y.	69	82	282
Ralph Guldahl, Coral Gables, Fla.	72	84	284
E. J. (Dutch) Harrison, Oak Park	69	84	284
B. Cruickshank, Delray Beach, Fla.	70	85	285
Johnny Bulla, Chicago	73	83	285
Sam Byrd, Philadelphia, Pa.	66	83	285
Mike Turnesa, Fairview, N. Y.	71	86	286
H. Barron, White Plains, N. Y.	71	86	286
J. Geertsen, Salt Lake City, Utah	72	86	286
Jimmy Hines, Lakeville, L. I.	72	86	286
Claude Harmon, Chicago, Ill.	71	86	286
P. Runyan, White Plains, N. Y.	73	87	287
Harry Cooper, Chicpee, Mass.	68	87	287
C. Heffner, Greensboro, N. C.	69	83	289
Ed Oliver, Wilmington, Del.	69	89	289
Tony Penna, Bocaraton, Fla.	71	89	289
Frank Moore, Mamaroneck, N. Y.	71	89	289
Billy Burke, Bellaire, Fla.	67	83	290
Jules Huot, Quebec, Canada	70	90	290
Tommy Armour, Bocaraton, Fla.	70	90	290
Ted Luther, Philadelphia, Pa.	72	90	290
Clarence Doser, Sarasota, Fla.	71	90	290
Leonard Dodson, Springfield, Mo.	69	90	290
Horton Smith, Oak Park, Ill.	76	91	291
Al Brosch, Farmingdale, N. Y.	67	91	291
Jack Patronia, Shawnee, Pa.	74	91	291
Jack Grout, Chicago, Ill.	71	93	291
G. Sarazen, Bkfld. Cen., Conn.	70	91	291
Clyde Usina, Jr., W. Palm Beach	70	91	291
Maurie O'Connor, Belleville, N. J.	73	91	291
Ralph Hutchinson, Bethlehem, Pa.	72	93	293
Lee Walper, Washington, D. C.	70	93	293
Harry Adams, Chicago	74	93	293
Rut Coffey, Everglades, Fla.	71	93	293
M. J. Kowal, Philadelphia, Pa.	71	93	293
Ben Loving, Saranac, N. Y.	72	94	294
Frank Kringle, Linden, N. J.	76	94	294
Carl Bindbeutel, Cleveland, Ohio	77	94	294
Eddie Williams, Chicago	72	94	294
Felix Serafin, Scranton, Pa.	70	94	294
Dick Metz, Lake Forest, Ill.	72	95	295
Johnny Farrell, Hollywood, Fla.	72	93	295
Willie Klein, Miami Beach, Fla.	72	93	295
Lawson Little, San Francisco	72	95	295
Andrew Lapala, Peakness, N. J.	73	93	295
Ed Dudley, Augusta, Ga.	73	93	295
Henry Ciuci, Flushing, L. I.	71	95	295
Bill Heinlin, Indianapolis, Ind.	75	95	295
R. Williamson, Fort Wayne, Ind.	70	95	295
Ed Brook, South Haven, Mich.	72	96	296
C. Harper, Portsmouth, Va.	72	96	296
*C. Harbert, Grand Rapids, Mich.	66	96	296
John Gibson, Chicago	73	96	296
Stanley Parnak, Springfield, Mass.	73	96	296
Andrew Morsary, Norwalk, Ohio	73	96	296
Charley Penna, Bocaraton, Fla.	70	96	296
Bill Kaiser, Louisville, Ky.	72	96	296
Bob Barnett, Miami Beach, Fla.	74	97	297
Webb Gilbert, Topeka, Kans.	74	97	297
Sal Di Buono, Larchmont, N. Y.	71	97	297
Frank Stuhler, Idlewild, L. I.	73	97	297
Jim Turnesa, St. Petersburg, Fla.	70	97	297
Perdy Calropa, New York	72	98	298
Marvin Stahl, Lansing, Mich.	76	98	298
H. H. Freeman, Denmark, N. Y.	73	98	298
Art Clark, Summit, Pa.	72	98	298
S. C. Johnson, Morristown, Pa.	77	98	298
Tony Manero, Salem, Mass.	76	99	299
Ray Mangrum, Dayton, Ohio	74	99	299
James Milward, Madison, Wis.	76	99	299
Joe Kirkwood, Philadelphia, Pa.	75	100	300
Gene Kunes, Hollywood, Fla.	77	100	300
*Bob Servis, Dayton, Ohio	74	100	300

*Amateur.

Frank Mann, Developer of Gallagher, Has Two Boys in Finals of Amateurs

The man who introduced Marty Gallagher locally years ago and who has played a major role in Washington's rise in the boxing game returns to the spotlight at Joe Turner's Arena Wednesday night when the District amateur fight tournament moves into the final round.

Dean of all local boxing matchmakers and managers and one of the best liked figures in the local sports picture, genial Frank Mann will send two fine looking youngsters into action when Jimmy DeChard, senior heavyweight from Southwest Washington, and Chester (Gump) Morris, former Central High School baseball and football star, go after the open and novice titles, respectively.

One of the smash hits of the tournament is anticipated in the senior heavyweight championship bout which finds DeChard, boxing under the auspices of Police Boys' Club No. 4, opposed by Leon Miller, of Fort Myer.

In the novice heavyweight final Morris, a 6-foot, 2-inch and 193-pound youngster boxing unattached, will be pitted against Clarence Irwin, of Pete's A. C. Irwin recently eliminated Basil Harris, of Georgetown University, from tourney warfare.

While Miller, on the basis of experience, looms a slight favorite over Jimmy DeChard, Morris is in a strategic position to steal the Golden Gloves show.

"I've never seen a fighter who reminds me more of Marty Gallagher than does Morris," Mann declared last night. "He's game as a pebble, faster than Marty ever was and built along the same lines. I spotted Morris (he prefers "Gump" to Chester) five months ago. He's shaping up as a great prospect now."

The DeChard — Miller bout looms as one of the hottest of the tourney. Knockout conqueror of Bill Nolan recently and last year's District A. A. U. champion, Miller faces in DeChard a youngster who has been carefully paced by Mann for better than a year now.

D.&H. Loses Heurich Lead On Pro Rule

Must Forfeit Six Games for Use of Two Pro Players, D. A. A. U. Rules

As the result of action taken by the District Amateur Athletic Union Delaware & Hudson's basketball team today loses three of its outstanding basketball players and must forfeit the six games that had gained it the undisputed leadership in Heurich Amateur Basketball League play.

Tonight at 8:30 o'clock in Heurich Gymnasium the D. & H. Coalmen are to present a revised line-up in Heurich League competition with Little Tavern in one end of a triple-header.

Fred (Knocky) Thomas, Waverly Wheeler and Cliff Keyser are the Delaware & Hudson players who automatically become ineligible for amateur competition today, following charges of professionalism filed against them and upheld by the District A. A. U.

The revised order of things affects six teams who had lost to D. & H., namely: F. B. I., W. W. Chambers, Trans-Lux Hour Glass, Regal Clothiers and P. W. A. It sends W. W. Chambers into the Heurich League leadership with five wins and no losses, and F. B. I. into second place with three victories and no official defeats.

Tonight's 9:30 o'clock nightcap brings together F. B. I. and Dapper Dan, while D. C. Fire Department and P. W. A. inaugurates activities at 7:30 o'clock.

Revised Heurich Amateur League Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.
W. W. Chambers	5	0	.1000
F. B. I.	3	0	.1000
Dapper Dan	4	1	.800
Little Tavern	3	2	.600
Hour Glass	4	4	.500
Regal Clothiers	3	3	.500
United Clay	2	3	.500
Hot Shoppes	2	4	.333
D. C. Firemen	1	2	.333
P. W. A.	1	5	.166
St. Martin's	0	2	.000
Delaware and Hudson	0	6	.000

Tonight's Schedule

D. C. Fire Department vs. PWA, 7:30 o'clock.

Little Tavern vs. Delaware and Hudson, 8:30 o'clock.

F. B. I. vs. Dapper Dan, 9:30 o'clock.

Wednesday Night's Schedule

(All games postponed due to holidays.)

Friday Night's Schedule

Delaware and Hudson vs. D. C. Fire Department, 7:30 o'clock.

W. W. Chambers vs. Regal Clothiers, 8:30 o'clock.

St. Martin's vs. Little Tavern, 9:30 o'clock.

Rating

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tana, the former champion, and Dado, who recently defeated Montana and who has never lost a bout in his career, were ignored for consideration in a title match.

Triner also dissented in this opinion, casting his ballot for Kane.

HEAVYWEIGHTS

Champion, Joe Louis, Detroit.

1. Tony Galento, Orange, N. J.; 2. Lou Nova, Alameda, Calif.; 3. Max Baer, Livermore, Calif.; 4. Willie Reddish, Philadelphia, Pa.; 5. Roscoe Toles, Detroit, Mich.; 6. Arturo Lovell, Argentina; 7. Clarence (Red) Burman, Baltimore, Md.; 8. Budder Knox, Dayton, Ohio; 9. Gus Dorazio, Philadelphia, Pa.; 10. Tony Musto Chicago.

Honorable mention—Alex Kettles, Chicago; Tommy Farr, Wales; Wild Bill Boyd, Birmingham.

LIGHT-HEAVYWEIGHTS

Champion, John Henry Lewis, Phoenix, Ariz.

1. Tiger Jack Fox, Spokane; 2. Mello Bettina, Beacon, N. Y.; 3. Al Gainer, Hartford, Conn.; 4. Ron Richards, Australia; 5. Gus Lesnevich, Cliffside, N. J.; 6. Dave Clark, Detroit; 7. Larry Lane, Trenton; 8. Tiger Terry Warrington, Nova Scotia; 9. Len Harvey, England; 10. Jock McAvoy, England.

Honorable mention — Marty Simmons, Chicago; Matt Raymond, Sharon, Pa.; Billy Conn, Pittsburgh.

MIDDLEWEIGHTS

Champion, Solly Krieger, Brooklyn.

1. Freddie Apostoli, San Francisco; 2. Al Hostak, Seattle; 3. Walter Woods, New York; 4. Glen Yee, Edison, Nebr.; 5. Allen Mathewa, St. Louis, Mo.; 6. Fred Henneberry, Australia; 7. Rudy Marshall, New Haven; 8. Ken Overlin, Decatur, Ill.; 9. Ben Brown, Atlanta; 10. Tony Zale, Chicago.

Honorable mention—Erich Seelig, Germany; Ossie Stewart, Pittsburgh; Teddy Yarocz, Pittsburgh.

WELTERWEIGHTS

Champion, Henry Armstrong, Los Angeles.

1. Ceferino Garcia, Philippines; 2. Johnny Jones, Canada; 3. Fritzie Zivic, Pittsburgh; 4. Mike Kid Prattini, Italy; 5. Holman Williams, Chicago; 6. Sammy Luftspring, Canada; 7. Maxie Berger, Canada; 8. Charley Burley, Pittsburgh; 9. Johnny Barbara, Chicago; 10. Saverio Turiello, Italy.

Honorable mention—Steve Mamakos, Washington; Mickey Makar, Jersey City; Jimmy Leto, Hartford.

LIGHTWEIGHTS

Champion, Henry Armstrong.

1. Lou Ambers, Herkimer, N. Y.; 2. Davey Day, Chicago; 3. Baby Arizmendi, Mexico; 4 Sammy Angott, Louisville, Ky.; 5. Pedro Montanez, Puerto Rico; 6. Tippy Larkin, Garfield, N. Y.; 7. Billy Beauhold, Newark, N. J.; 8. Joe Ferrando, Jersey City; 9. Petey Sarron, Birmingham, Ala.; 10. Nick Cammaratta, New Orleans.

Honorable mention—Tommy Cross, Philadelphia; Normenti Quarles, Hendersonville, N. C.; Yucatan Kid, Mexico; Billy Marquardt, Canada.

FEATHERWEIGHTS

Championship vacant.

1. Leo Rodak, Chicago; 2. Pete Scalzo, New York; 3. Joey Archibald, Pawtucket, R. I.; 4. Freddie Miller, Cincinnati; 5. Mike Belloise, New York; 6. Chalky Wright, Los Angeles; 7. Al Reid, New York; 8. Dave Castilloux, Canada; 9 Johnny Hutchinson, Philadelphia; 10. Abie Denner, Boston.

Honorable mention—Leoni Effrattini, Chicago.

BANTAMWEIGHTS

Champion, Sixto Escobar, Puerto Rico.

1. Johnny (K.O.) Morgan, Detroit; 2. Georgie Pace, Cleveland; 3. Lou Salica, New York; 4. Henry Hook, Indianapolis; 5. Kid Tanner, British Guiana; 6. Johnny Sandes, Milwaukee; 7. Aurel Toma, Rumania; 8. Indian Quintana, Panama; 9. Teddy O'Neil, England; 10. Pancho Villa, Mexico.

FLYWEIGHTS

Championship vacant.

1. Little Dado, Philippines; 2. Small Montana, Philippines; 3. Peter Kane, England; 4. Jackie Murich, San Jose, Calif.; 5. Tiny Bostock, England; 6. Pat McStravick, England; 7. Aurelien Lamothe, Canada; 8. Pierre Louis, France; 9. Pierce Ellis, England; 10. Paddy Ryan, England.

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D. C. Bowling Stars Meet in Big Event

Post Staff Photo.

The District's outstanding men and women bowlers met yesterday in a special match at Convention Hall. Left to right in this picture are Bill Krause, Lorraine Gulli, Lucy Rose and Astor Clark

Astor Clarke Beaten In Special Pin Match

Tony Santini Defeats Nation's Top Ranking Bowler, 1,280 to 1,219; Marlboro Hotel Team Scores Victory

Cuff and Santini's pace-setting team in the Men's District League dropped a three-game match to Marlboro Hotel by an 11-pin margin yesterday at Convention Hall in the feature encounter of the special charity match that attracted nearly 1,000 fans.

Lorraine Gulli and Bill Krauss, trailing by 49 pins after three games of mixed doubles against Lucy Rose and Astor Clarke, District champions, finished with two powerful counts to register a 1,280 to 1,219 triumph, with Krauss high with a 655 set.

Tony Santini, unranked among the Nation's top pinmen, won his fourth individual singles duel in their last five starts against the No. 1 bowler of the country, Astor Clarke, in the final event of the four-hour program.

Standout performers on the all-star card were Joe Harrison, with a 432 set in the team match, Krauss and Lucy Rose in the mixed doubles, with Miss Rose turning in a fine 629 set, and Santini, who topped Clarke by 52 pint in the first game of the singles duel and protected the margin through the final box.

The team match, between the first and third quintets in the league, was the standout attraction, as the opponents were never more than 25 pins apart, and not until Joe Harrison and Perce Wolfe counted marks in the final box was the hotel team assured of winning.

Joe Freschi, of the winners, was next to Harrison with 401 for the three games, followed by Ed Blakeney and Paul Jarman, Cuff-Santini, with 398 and 397, respectively. Astor Clarke subbed for Talbert in the final game, after the former rolled two boxes, and finished 28 pins ahead of his box to be a prominent factor in the victory.

Mrs. Rose and Miss Gulli rolled far above their total in the first block of the Meyer Davis sweepstakes Saturday night, posting respective sets of 629 and 625, the former dropping off the last two games after counting 411 for the first three. Miss Gulli and Krauss totaled 288 to 208 in the final game to come from behind and win handily.

TEAM MATCH

Marlboro Hotel

Talbert	132	108	123—	363
Freschi	136	151	114—	401
P. Harrison	111	104	—	215
J. Harrison	129	153	150—	432
Wolfe	111	138	106—	355
Pacini	—	—	115—	115
	619	654	608	1,881

Cuff & Santini

Smith	123	126	104—	353
Jarman	131	141	125—	397
Santini	112	111	—	223
Krauss	128	116	119—	363
Blakeney	126	148	124—	398
Jenkins	—	—	136—	136
	620	642	608	1,870

MIXED DOUBLES

L. Rose	146	120	145	112	106—	629
A. Clarke	114	112	140	122	102—	590
	260	232	285	234	208—	1,219
L. Gulli	118	119	137	119	132—	625
B. Krauss	119	105	134	141	156—	655
	237	224	271	260	288—	1,280

SINGLES

Astor Clarke	116	129	106	120	137—	608
Tony Santini	168	128	116	141	109—	622

Marlboro Pinmen Duplicate Victory

Marlboro Hotel duplicated its afternoon victory in the charity match by defeating the District league-leading Cuff and Santini team last night at Chevy Chase, two games to one. Perce Wolfe was high for the Hotelmen with a 391 set.

The Cuff-Santini five rolled the second high game of the season, 698, to win the second tilt. Tony Santini was high with 405, while Ed Blakeney had a 163 game and 399 set for the losers.

Diamond Cab won the odd game over Tru-Blu, with a 677 game and 1,913 set, also second high of the season. Elmer Wesley was best for the winners with 165—405. Howard Parsons' 385 effort was best for the Beermen.

Conventon Hall added to the night of two of three decisions by upsetting Arcadia. Paul Harrison, of the losers, had high set of 391, compared to Weinberg, of the Hallmen, with 377.

Sam Benson, national all-events champion in 1929, posted a set of 422 as Georgetown won two out of three from Lucky Strike on the loser's alleys.

Tru-Blu and Cuff and Santini will battle for the league lead next Friday night.

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J. C. C. Cage Loop Results

In Jewish Community Center Basketball League games yesterday, Phalanx defeated Phi Sigma, 26-10; Metro beat A. Z. A., 27-15; S. A. K. trimmed A. Z. A., 32-27; B'nai B'rith dropped a 35-17 decision to Astor, Amicus won over Brandeis, 28-19, and Olympian swamped Lions, 42-7.

Phi Sigma.	G	FG	P	Phalanx.	G	FG	P
P.Sch'man,f	0	1	1	H.Gordon,f	0	0	0
Jaffe,f	0	3	3	S.Gordon,f	3	1	7
Lasky,f	0	0	0	Silverman,c	4	3	11
Cohen,c	1	0	2	Markowitz,c	0	0	0
A.Sch'man,g	1	2	4	Nusbaum,g	0	0	0
Fogel,g	0	0	0	Dennison,g	3	2	8
				Edlowitz,g	0	0	0
Totals	2	6	10	Totals	10	6	26

Metro.	G	FG	P	A. Z. A.	Al.	G	FG	P
Gabe,f	2	1	5	Raffel,f		1	0	2
Spector,f	4	0	8	H.Livshin,f		2	0	4
Sharlin,f	1	1	3	J.Livshin,f		0	1	1
Devlin,f	1	0	2	Rooney,c		0	0	0
Feldman,c	2	0	4	Barr,c		0	0	0
Leichling,g	1	1	3	Ruben,g		2	0	4
Seligson,g	0	0	0	Deck'baum,g		0	0	0
Smith,g	0	0	0	Benett,g		2	0	4
Lipshitz,g	0	2	2					
Totals	11	5	27	Totals		7	1	15

A. Z. A.	G	FG	P	S. A. K.	G	FG	P
Katz,f	2	3	7	Sklar,f	1	1	3
Rosenblum,f	4	0	8	Miller,rf	1	1	3
Robinson,f	2	1	5	Jeweler,f	4	1	9
Sandler,c	2	1	5	S.Goldstein,c	4	1	9
Temin,c	0	0	0	M.Goldstein,g	1	0	2
Miller,g	0	2	2	Beck,g	2	2	6
				Miller,g	0	0	0
Totals	10	7	27	Totals	13	6	32

B'nai B'rith.	G	FG	P	Astor.	G	FG	P
Korman,f	0	0	0	Ifshin,f	7	3	17
Abelman,f	1	0	2	Ginsberg,f	0	0	0
Bookoff,f	0	0	0	Berkowitz,f	4	0	8
Abramson,c	1	0	2	Gertler,c	5	0	10
Otinsky,g	4	1	9	Willcher,f	0

Escobar Rules 6-5 Favorite Over Mancini in Bout Tonight

Bill Ackerman

On Fishing

Wisconsin annually has more than a 100,000 anglers from other States to buy licenses each year to fish in her streams and lakes, and to the end that still more will come, is continually trying to better conditions for these anglers.

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In Florida, Miami alone sells annually more than $500,000 worth of equipment to anglers, and, to make its use as interesting as possible, holds a tournament that last year saw 102,000 anglers competing, more than 90 per cent of whom were from other sections.

New Jersey recognizes the fact that more than a million of the visitors to her coast resorts each summer come solely for the fishing, and leave behind, for one thing or another, more than $5,000,000. To protect this "golden goose," stockings are being made in every river and bay, the sport fish are protected against the indiscriminate take of commercial men, and a live conservation commission is doing everything in its power to perpetuate its natural marine resources.

Maryland's Asleep

Yet Maryland, nearly twice the area of Jersey in actual size, and with a shore line that is counted in thousands instead of hundreds of miles, with aquatic resources beyond those of any State on the Atlantic Coast, and boasting runs of many of the gamest fish in the area, continues to plod along in the wasteful track the colonists wore through teeming waters and virgin forests more than three centuries ago.

Nowhere in the whole United States is to be found waters that can approach those of Chesapeake Bay; waters that should produce 15 times the amount of oysters they actually do, and many times the poundage of edible fish, without harming in anyway the small fishes, and sport-fishing beyond compare for thousands where relatively only hundreds enjoy it now.

True, many States have more and better trout waters than does Maryland, but there are other streams that will produce other fishes, so that this need not matter greatly. But the catch is, there is very little consideration given the angler and these fresh-water streams. And how could there be, with the salt water commercial interests holding, through organization, every place on the Conservation Commission, and their policy dictated by politics.

Bills Are Due

It has become a generally accepted fact almost everywhere that the natural resources of any State must be administered by men educated to the job in hand, and unhampered by politicians. Maryland sportsmen have not been slow to recognize this, and for the last several years have been working on a bill to present to the Legislature that would correct the abuses of the present system. We have been for any betterment they might accomplish, no matter how small, and care little which one of the bills it might be (there are several factions all working to the same end), so long as it gets started. For any one would be better than the present setup, which allows the sportsman's money to be turned over to the general fund where it is used for anything and everything. If there is any left it is used for fish stocking and game replacement.

We were highly elated when the Governor-elect made his stand for equitable conservation. More so, when it looked as though the sportsmen's organizations throughout the State were getting together to form a united front for the presentation of a bill for a model conservation commission agreeable to all. Had an idea that the new year would see the fulfillment of the preliminary requirements that would allow Maryland to be marching in the ranks of conservation-minded States such as Pennsylvania, New Jersey and North Carolina.

Need United Front

We learn, in the last few days, that sportsmen are not presenting a united front, that Western Maryland organizations can't see eye to eye with those in the eastern part of the State. That outlying clubs are being high-pressured to commit themselves to one side or the other, and that feeling is growing, until shortly, it will be impossible to get together. Certainly not in time to present a bill to this Legislature.

Small-boy stuff, when the thought behind every organization is the saving and building up of the sadly depleted natural resources of the State, so that sportsmen will have something to enjoy when they go afield or astream, and will give the commercial interests a far better take without waste than it will ever be possible to get under present conditions. And by far the most important, the individual interests to be administered by men who are most closely associated with, and hold their furtherance and well-being above everything else.

It has always been a human failing to be wasteful with the bounties of nature, unheeding and unrelenting until the depredations have practically exterminated whole families of aquatic life. To the end that several vulnerable species might be saved, States from North Carolina to Maine have been co-operating in the passage of bills to protect not only those endangered species out others as well. The complete accomplishment of this movement requires the active support of Maryland. Will it be forthcoming?

Champion Faces Tough Fight Here

Providence Boy Is Real Test; Sixto At Cross Roads of Bantamweight Reign

Bearing a fresh stamp of approval as the National Boxing Association bantamweight champion, but the target of some derogatory remarks authored by Kayo Morgan—a leading contender for his crown, Sixto Escobar trudges into the Arena ring tonight to manufacture the main 10-round bout with Al Mancini, of Providence.

Largely because he is a title holder, Escobar is being quoted a 6-5 favorite among the sporting gentry, but a few intrepid souls have installed Mancini as their choice. At any rate there has been no rush to get on Sixto's sound truck, and Mancini will be a heavily supported underdog if the odds favor the champion at the ringside.

Morgan, who whipped Sixto in an over-the-weight match several months ago and who heads a preferred list of proposed Escobar opponents for a titular fight, was in Washington for a few hours Saturday. He remained long enough to visit the N. B. A. ratings committee, in session then, and to call Sixto a bum. Morgan accused him of being a trifle on the dull-witted side and promised to thrash him soundly when they meet again.

Sixto at Crossroads

Escobar has enjoyed a long vacation from the ring necessitated by an injured shoulder suffered in his bout with Harry Jeffra last February. The few matches he has engaged in were platonic over-the-weight affairs, and he not only lost to Morgan but to Henry Hook. Sixto has arrived at the crucial stage of is career. He's got to fight not one, but four topnotch bantams to retain his laurels, and if no better than he has been in his most recent engagements he will certainly be shorn of his laurels.

Lou Brix, the swarthy little chap's pilot, blames Sixto's losses on the shoulder, but adds that it is sound again and that his man will prove his mettle by meeting and beating all contenders. Rumors that Escobar can't make the bantamweight limit were ridiculed by Brix, who said he was unwilling to have Sixto risk his title with a bad shoulder, and for that reason only insisted on over-the-weight matches. He pointed out that Sixto now is prepping for a championship match with Morgan, scheduled in February at San Juan.

Anxious for Bout

Morgan pleaded ignorance to such a match when questioned Saturday, but added that he would be willing to meet Escobar at any time and any place—if the title were at stake.

Escobar, at any rate, will not be worried about weight tonight, for Mancini has agreed to scale 124-pounds at 2 p. m., and the champion probably will come in at 120 or better.

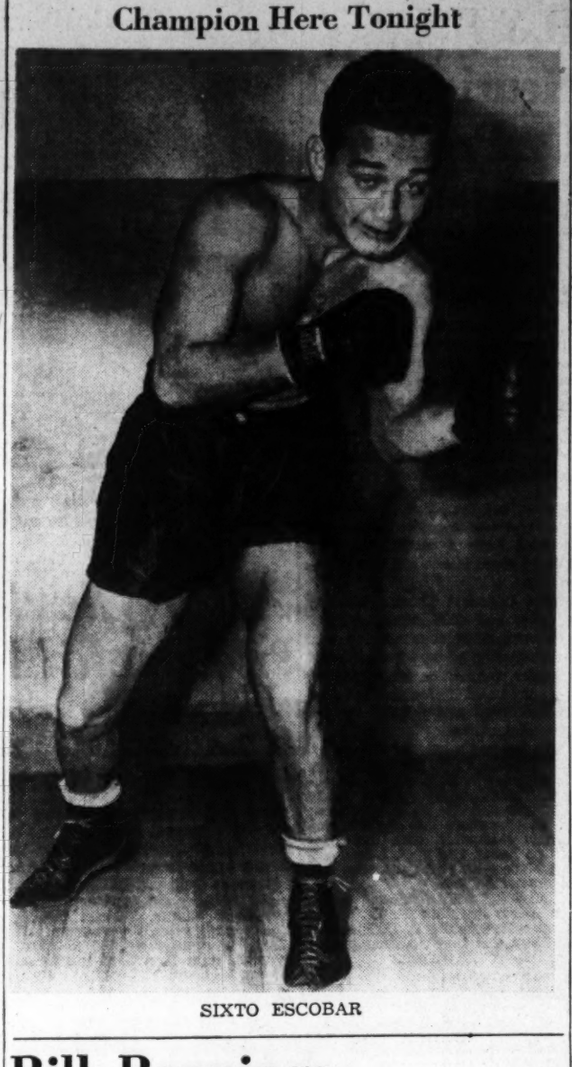
Mancini will be making his fifth appearance before a Washington audience tonight, and gunning for his fifth consecutive victory. He knocked out Augie Kroll, of Baltimore, on his last trip here, and threatens to duplicate the feat at Escobar's expense. Tony Canzoneri, former world lightweight champion now attempting a comeback, may appear in his corner.

The preliminaries include a six-round semi-final between Toby Tobias, former University of Miami belter, and Pancho Huerta. Four round engagements find Newsboy Toby Scroggins meeting Billy Savage; Billy Carrigan vs. Brooks Bowen, and Zuzu Pitts against Wild Man Daniels.

Arena Fights Start At 9 o'Clock

Due to the late Christmas shopping hours, Matchmaker Goldie Ahearn announced that tonight's boxing show, featuring Sixto Escobar, the world's bantamweight champion, and Al Mancini, New England challenger, will start at 9 o'clock, instead of 8:30, at Turner's Arena.

Champion Here Tonight



SIXTO ESCOBAR

Bill Bennings

At The Post

Selections at Tropical Park.

Dear Al:

The long Florida stand of the horses gets under way today at this track, located some 10 miles from Flagler street in downtown Miami. As is usually the case, Tropical picks up the crumbs, as far as dates are concerned, leaving the best portions to swanky Hialeah Park about half an Everglade away. However, Tropical has plenty of horses and friendly feeling that gives it the usual fighting chance to make money. Just what this winter season holds for racing remains to be seen. Hileah will find opposition from the new track 22 miles north of Miami, at Hollywood. While Gulfstream Park, as it will be known, is a new venture, reduced admission prices may allow it to take a slice out of the ace course. When Hileah and Hollywood begin operations there will be two horse tracks and four dog tracks in action in the Miami area and betwen them they should be able to take care of any loose dollar bills that may be floating around. In addition, the usual Miami Beach joints will be trying to operate, although the horse and dog racing people have managed to squeeze them out of the picture in recent years. News of raids on bookmakers inMiami have worked north, indicating the natives are trying to chase anybody who would risk money to the tracks where the taxes come back to the State. Tropical Park has a nice book for the meeting and has a good grade of horses ready to march postward. While today's opening program is no great shucks, it is the average for mile tracks and should provide plenty of excitement. It might be well for players to feel out the situation before taking it too seriously. Horses from a variety of tracks will be meeting for the first time and anything can happen. Just when I warned that the Marvel Ratings were not stacking up so good at Charles Town, they took a new lease on life and finished the meeting in high order. I expect them to click down here. And so we hop from mountains to seashore, from rock to coral and from oak to palm. However, it is the same game. BILL.

First race—Melody Maid ran two good races at Bowie without entering the winner's circle. With a rated ride, this one should take down the chief money. **Rebel Yell** hasn't been out since Narragansett but turned in a good effort in his last. Could be a dangerous factor in this field. **Stalagmite** is fit and fresh.

Second race—Chimney Top is not exactly suited to this hard track but has worked well and is capable of taking down first money. **Escohigh** probably is the class of the field but has been away since last spring. **Odd Blue** has shown good moves and should be in the thick of contention.

Third race—Miss Happy might be the right one in this rather open field of maidens. She was well-backed in a failure in New York and has been working briskly hereabouts. **Festivities** has had many chances and may find this the right company. **Poesy** is liked by the stable.

Fourth race — Suntime showed plenty of speed at Pimlico and seems to fit nicely in this company. Gets weight from most of the serious contenders and I'm going to string along. **Histrionic** is reported to have burned up Hialeah with works. However, there's a difference between the two tracks. **Endymion** won at Bowie and should be prominent.

Fifth race—Rissa gets in this with light weight and the Bud Lerner filly may take the lead and fail to stop. She has turned in sizzling trials and was consistent in Maryland racing. **Wise Prince** and **Mythical King** are tops on figures but I'm going to put them second and third.

Sixth race—John's Heir goes here with 102 pounds and the hustling Warren Yarberry to do the riding. He performed well during the fall and expect no mistakes. **Catechism** was a speedy miss in the North and she should be prominent. **Good Star** to take care of the others.

Seventh race—Caught has been working in good fashion since being shipped South and is another Yarberry mount. I'm going to take a little of this one. **Birdlea** and **Trina** are good ones and may fill out the money bracket.

Eighth race—Continuity has visited the winner's circle only once this year but is good when fresh. May be the right one in a rare open race. **Towson** and **Findon** will battle it out if the top one is not ready.

Ninth race (substitute)—If this race is used, I'll take **Milk, Distract** and **Black Arrow.**

Best bet—Caught.

Florida Sees Racing Boom; Season Opens

Tropical Park's Inaugural Today To Herald Big Sports Year

By the Associated Press.

Coral Gables, Fla., Dec. 18.—New records in attendance and pari-mutuel betting appeared very likely tonight for the Florida racing season opening tomorrow at Tropical Park.

Last season saw a new mark set when 822,838 persons clicked through the turnstiles and passed $34,252,022 through the betting windows—exclusive of the $20,000,000 bet on greyhounds and jai alai games.

But qualified authorities say the tourist season is bigger this year and a new race track is scheduled to open when Hialeah Park does on January 18.

The new track, Gulf Stream Park, near Hollywood, is being put in shape and expects its first horses tomorrow. The racing strip and most of its stables have been finished and officials hired.

Meanwhile, the Miami Jockey Club plans a more brilliant season than ever at Hialeah with another match race between War Admiral and Seabiscuit a possibility. Neither horse is here now but both have been nominated for the $50,000 Widener Challenge Cup, which closes Hialeah's season March 4. Stagehand and Lawrin are other notable nominees, the Kentucky Derby winner being among 2,000 horses already on hand.

The return of two old favorites to the saddle also will add interest to the season. Jockey Don Meade, after a two-year suspension for improper betting, has been reinstated by the State racing commission and is expected to arrive tomorrow from Columbia, S. C. He has been galloping the George Odom horses at Columbia and probably will resume riding at Tropical Park.

Jockey Eddie Litzenberger, out of the saddle for three years with a broken leg that was rebroken twice, has been in workouts at Tropical and also probably will don the silks again.

Tropical's inaugural feature will be a 6-furlong handicap for a $1,200 purse with ten entries. Wise Prince, owned by Felix Spatola, of Philadelphia, drew top impost of 119 pounds. Mythical King, Court Scandal, Galapas, Rissa, Gold Flag, Gay Balko, Our Ketcham, Dunade and Bobs Boys are the others.

Fair Grounds Entries

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

8	Smil'g Prince	108	Sugaboot	111
9	*Glowset	105	Dear Me	103
10	Fast Roamer	113	Gawaine	113
11	*Blazing Sun	109	Biography	113
12	*Cossack Girl	106	One Night	112
13	Migal Fay	110	River Dee	97
14	*Lowry	112	Boy Valet	112
15	*Prince Jean	100		

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

10	*Red Go	108	Henry M	111
11	Big Tim	109	Nedrow	102
12	*Catchall	115	*Sir Quest	115
13	*Mining Mail	115	*Miss Webb	103
14	*Zatso	110	Toms Lady	106
15	*Miss Ivory	104	*Moisson	114
16	*Onaboy	115	Valdina	114
17	*Miney M'son	115	Pima Nugget	111
18	*Golden Fate	115	John Bane	105

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

10	Firing	109	John Marcum	112
11	*Wild Blonde	104	Muriellynn	109
12	Catsweep	112	Bay Memor	112
13	*Bright Land	107	Swift Air	113
14	Bucks Image	110	*Beautiful Bud	104
15	*Sir Michael	107	Fletus	112
16	Proof	109	Dinna Do	107
17	*Henrietta	102	Waugh Scout	109
18	Kings H'way	112	*Back Chat	102

FOURTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; allowances; for 2-year-old maidens and winners of one race.

6	At Home	111	War Trade	111
7	Elle	111	Lostagal	114
8	Minnie Pot	106	Heavy Mist	106
9	Brilliant One	114	Linger Awhile	111
10	P'kwood Chief	114	James	114
11	Piddle Paddle	111		

FIFTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

10	Abbots Hour	111	*Acidine	112
11	All Lady	99	*Busby	108
12	*P'wers G'aud	103	*Bess B	95
13	*Rosselli	105	*Oxford Lad	112
14	*Happy Helen	105	*Swift Lad	99
15	*Beaver City	105	*Books Pride	103
16	Moujik	103	Stepinanna	107
17	*Fire Adv'nce	112	Silver Fleet	107
18	*Lena J	105	*Little Drift	99

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

6	*Gold. Silence	101	*Polly H'stings	106
7	Sanctity	113	*Panic Relief	101
8	*Lucky Ducky	104	*Maleman	108
9	*Adolf	106	Ime Blue	104
1	*My Lawyer	104		

SEVENTH RACE — One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

10	Mr. Quick	112	*Sayloma	107
11	*Golden Quest	107	*Hueu	107
12	*Off Duty	107	*Hermosillo	110
13	*Miss Adams	107	*Sailorman	110
14	*Our Sammy	107	*Forceful	110
15	*My Dess	100	*Taddy Bane	107
16	*Jane W	100	*Charwitch	104
17	*Unlawful	107	*Brilliant Miss	107
18	*Pirate Lass	104	*Play Line	107

EIGHTH RACE (substitute)—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

10	*Lady Lorene	104	*Idolatry	107
11	*Miss Collins	102	Dixie Princess	109
12	The Bouncer	112	Stingy	112
13	M'ns Mission	107	Wenet	104
14	Sir Ten	112	*My Peng	107
15	*Love Lost	104	*Palm Island	107
16	Sarah Justice	109	Spanish Red	112
17	*Mr. Mex	105	*Real Jam	107
18	Jim Cornell	110	*Skidmore	107

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, clear; track, fast.

FAIR GROUNDS SELECTIONS
(For fast track)

1—Biography, Boy Valet, Fast Roamer.
2—Miney Myerson, Golden Fate, Catchall.
3—Wild Blonde, Dinna Do, Buck's Image.
4—At Home, Allie, Lostagal.
5—Busby, Powers Gearaud, Rosselli.
6—Maleman, Sanctity, Panic Relief.
7—Off Duty, Golden West, Unlawful.
8—Palm Island, My Feng, Sir Ten.
Best bet—Miney Myerson.

Maynard Womer, Va. Boxing Star, Hurt in Crash

Charlottesville, Va., Dec. 18.—Maynard Emerson Womer, of Johnstown, Pa., former boxing star at the University of Virginia and Southern Conference champion in the welterweight division for one year, was seriously injured last night when the coupe in which he was driving en route to Orange overturned on the Richmond highway, 4 miles east of Charlottesville. Picked up by Ed Pryor, a passing motorist, Womer was brought to University Hospital, where it was found that he had suffered a brain concussion. No vistors were allowed today.

The car which he purchased only yesterday is a complete wreck. "Mutt" Womer, as he is familiarly known to local boxing fans, was a student for four years in the academic department, and is now in his second year in the university's law school. During his three years as a member of Cavalier boxing squads, he won many notable matches. He made his professional debut at a tournament staged here last summer when he defeated "Tiger" Lewis, of Richmond, scoring a knockout in the second round.

Central, Oakland Split Twin Bill

Lonaconing, Md., Dec. 18.—Central and Oakland High basketball teams, meeting for the second time this season, again split a double-header with the local girls winning, 50-8, and the Garrett County boys, 29-19. Oakland's quint staged a final-period rally that carried it to victory. Wolfe and Kleg starred for the visiting boys.

Olympians Seek Games

The Olympians five, member of the Jewish Community Center League, is seeking games with strong 145-pound teams for Wednesdays or Saturdays. Call Bob Rosenthal at Columbia 9286-J after 6 p. m. today or Tuesday.

And They Say the Toys Are for the Kiddies

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Roger Peckinpaugh, former Washington shortstop, is studying up on his trains as he prepares to move to New Orleans to take over the reins of the Crescent City Pelican ball club. He was appointed manager of the New Orleans team of the Southern Association Saturday. "Peck" is shown here playing trains with his 8-year-old son, John, at his Cleveland home

Tropical Park Entries With Marvel Ratings

FIRST RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

No.	Horse.	Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.	R't'g
10	Melody Maid (Merritt)		113	4-1	317
11	*Fifeguard (Maloney)		104	20-1	318
12	*Brown Man (Ashcroft)		108	20-1	314
13	*Make It (Sena)		105	15-1	317
14	*Rebel Yell (no boy)		108	10-1	320
15	Golden X (Rosen)		113	20-1	314
16	Stalagmite (Yarberry)		108	4-1	323
17	*Manly (Wilmer)		111	15-1	315
1	Ranicilla (F. A. Smith)		110	20-1	314
2	Wrenace (Peters)		113	6-1	322
3	Exhort (Mattioli)		113	20-1	313
4	Lone Hand (Driscoll)		116	12-1	321
5	Grand Jester (Swain)		116	6-1	323
6	*Espinaca (Nash)		111	4-1	320
7	*Last Romance (no boy)		108	10-1	319
8	*Wrought Iron (Atkins'n)		111	10-1	320
9	Package (Deering)		113	15-1	316

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

10	Shimmering (E. Smith)	113	15-1	316
11	*American First (P'dm'n)	113	15-1	322
12	*Jessie V. L. (Quintero)	110	15-1	320
13	*Count Maurice (M'l'ney)	113	8-1	318
14	Chimney Top (Wright)	118	9-2	324
15	*Two Tricks (Lewis)	110	15-1	316
16	*Brierton (Ashcroft)	113	8-1	324
17	Odd Blue (Young)	118	8-1	328
18	Joaney B. (Rollins)	115	12-1	317
1	Doreen (Anderson)	115	15-1	318
2	Escohigh (Perkins)	113	4-1	326
3	*That One (Yarberry)	110	6-1	322
4	What a Pal (Ward)	115	12-1	318
5	Wulfstan (Albrecht)	118	8-1	326
6	Jumelus (Cooper)	116	15-1	
7	Grand Marie (Leyland)	113	5-1	316
8	Fly Me (Schmidl)	116	15-1	315
9	*Etory Time (Sena)	110	15-1	318

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; for maiden 2-year-old fillies.

5	Dianapat (E. Smith)	116	8-1	310
6	Festivities (Stout)	116	7-2	314
7	Two Cents (Young)	116	5-1	312
1	Carla (Wright)	116	12-1	
2	Posy (Rose)	116	7-2	319
3	*Miss Happy (Yarberry)	111	8-1	314
4	Arabic (Arcaro)	116	5-1	313

FOURTH RACE—One mile and 60 yards; purse, $800; allowances; the Coconut Grove; for 3-year-olds.

5	Prettie Pet (Deering)	117	3-1	330
6	*Short Dist. (Bateman)	100	15-1	323
7	Endymion (Anderson)	114	3-1	327
1	Suntime (Stout)	111	4-1	327
2	Historic (Arcaro)	120	7-2	323
3	Hunting Home (R'b'tson)	122	4-1	320
4	*Harp Weaver (Musher)	103	8-1	315

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1,200; the Inaugural Handicap; for 3-year-olds and upward.

5	Mythical King (Arcaro)	116	6-1	354
7	Our Ketcham (Wagner)	107	7-2	334
8	Dunade (Yarberry)	102	15-1	335
9	Gold Flag (Lewis)	105	12-1	340
10	Gay Balko (Stout)	112	7-2	332
1	Galapas (Robertson)	110	15-1	335
2	Rissa (Bateman)	104	8-1	330
3	Bobs Boys (Roberts)	112	10-1	337
4	Ct. Scandal (F. A. Smith)	110	12-1	336
5	Wise Prince (Anderson)	118	5-2	358

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; allowances; for 2-year-olds.

4	Catechism (Donoso)	110	9-5	323
5	*Johns Heir (Yarberry)	102	3-1	324
6	*Range Dust (Parise)	105	4-1	325
1	Good Star (Bronsdon)	107	6-1	308
2	Learner (Merritt)	104	6-1	318
3	*Sly Kitty (Lewis)	99	10-1	307

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

5	*O'Bantam (Atkinson)	111	10-1	327
6	Birdlea (McCombs)	109	7-2	330
7	Trina (Simmons)	113	8-1	330
1	Bailiwick (Donoso)	116	5-1	325
2	*Ex. Warrior (Wiltmer)	108	5-1	329
3	*Caught (Yarberry)	108	5-2	324
4	*Glisten (Ashcroft)	102	20-1	314

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

10	Sterwick (McCabe)	110	20-1	315
11	Rocky Meadow (Le Lara)	112	8-1	317
12	Georgia Meaden (Clut'r)	110	20-1	312
13	Brilliant Rock (Craig)	113	5-1	316
14	Fendon (Robertson)	109	6-1	317
15	Bereit (Calvin)	110	6-1	317
16	Continuity (Robertson)	113	15-1	320
17	Prince Dean (E. Smith)	116	4-1	316
1	Major Sweep (Wilmer)	104	20-1	314
2	*Perfect One (Quintero)	108	20-1	312
3	Manhattan (Donoso)	116	20-1	310
4	*Towson (Atkinson)	113	5-2	321
5	Jolyon (Mattioli)	113	20-1	315
6	Azalea Rose (Dupre)	113	20-1	313
7	Virginia Boy (McCombs)	109	20-1	318
8	Knee Action (E. Smith)	113	20-1	318
9	Easiest Way (Deering)	116	20-1	323

NINTH RACE (substitute)—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

10	Sunset Girl (Wagner)	115	20-1	316
11	*Mere Blaze (Parise)	113	8-1	317
12	Free Ride (McCabe)	113	20-1	310
13	Neighborly (Wiltmer)	111	20-1	314
14	Moss Gal (Martin)	115	20-1	318
15	*Linas Son (Sena)	113	8-1	320
16	Black Arrow (Dupre)	115	5-1	329
17	The Wink (Deering)	115	20-1	317
18	*Milk (no boy)	119	6-1	323
1	Wayaloft (Gross)	118	20-1	318
2	*Airlap (Maloney)	115	20-1	319
3	Jinx (Mora)	118	12-1	322
4	Gurkha (Robertson)	118	12-1	316
5	Happy Nymph (Hartles)	115	12-1	316
6	Semester (Young)	118	20-1	311
7	*Distract (Ashcroft)	113	5-2	326
8	Brain Trust (Anderson)	118	12-1	317
9	Last Revue (Longo)	116	20-1	318

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Bassin, Ex-Hoya, Weds D. C. Girl

Harry Bassin, for the last few years one of the District's outstanding all-around athletes, is honeymooning in New York City with Verna M. Furey, 2036 First street northwest, whom he married last Thursday.

BASSIN

Bassin attended Eastern High School and won All-High recognition in both basketball and baseball. He then went to Georgetown University where he earned basketball and baseball letters. For the last few summers, Bassin has been playing minor league baseball and is reported to be under contract to the New York Yankees.

The Post's Consensus at Tropical Park

Bennings (Washington Post)

First race.	Second race.	Third race.	Fourth race.	Fifth race.	Sixth race.	Seventh race.	Eighth race.
Melody Maid	Chimney Top	Miss Happy	Suntime	Rissa	John's Heir	Caught	Continuity
Rebel Yell	Escohigh	Festivities	Histrionic	Catechism	Birdlea	Trina	Towson
Stalagmite	Odd Blue	Poesy	Endymion	Mythical King	Good Star		Findon

Best bet—Caught.

By the Louisville Times

Espinaca	Odd Blue	Arabic	Hunting Home	Mythical King	John's Heir	O'Bantam	Jolyon
Manly	Chimney Top	Poesy	Histrionic	Wise Prince	Range Dust	Trina	Easiest Way
Grand Jester	Jessie V. L.	Dianapat	Endymion	Dunade	Learner	Bailiwick	Lina's Son

Best bet—Mythical King.

Consensus of Leading Handicappers

Mel. Maid (23)	Escohigh (21)	Carla (22)	Hunt. Home (25)	Wise Prince (27)	John's Heir (29)	Bailiwick (19)	Findon (23)
Espinaca (17)	Jessie V. L. (18)	Poesy (18)	Endymion (15)	Myth. King (15)	Catechism (17)	Trina (18)	Towson (18)
Grd. Jester (13)	Odd Blue (13)	Festivities (13)	Histrionic (9)	Our Ketch. (11)	Range Dust (12)	Birdlea (14)	Pr. Dean (12)

Adds New Sire

Joseph E. Widener, one of America's most successful breeders of thoroughbred horses, has added a new sire to his stud in Kentucky. The newcomer is the successful race horse, Castel Fusano, who raced for Mr. Widener in France. Castel Fusano is a son of Ksar.

Senior Sunday School League

	G	FG	P		G	FG	P
W. Wash.				Epiphany			
Rowzie,f	3	0	6	Tierney,f	1	0	2
Ritchie,f	1	0	2	Jones,f	0	0	0
Boyd,f	0	1	1	Sykes,c	0	0	0
Pickett,f	6	0	12	Hamacher,c	1	0	2
Fillah,c	5	1	11	Kidwell,g	3	2	8
Norris,g	4	0	8	High,g	0	1	1
Chism,g	1	0	2	Black,g	1	1	3
				Yarnall,g	0	0	0
Totals	20	2	42	Totals	6	4	16

	G	FG	P		G	FG	P
Cal. Bapt.				First Bapt.			
F. Lawless,f	10	0	20	Bolstat,f	3	1	7
Gleason,f	0	0	0	Jones,f	2	1	5
Pritchord,f	2	1	5	P. Moore,c	0	0	0
Coleman,f	2	0	4	Orr,c	6	0	12
E. Lawless,c	2	0	4	N. Moore,g	1	1	3
Abrahams,g	1	0	2	Kroshoe,g	3	0	6
Goodson,g	0	0	0	Maier,g	0	0	0
Quinn,g	7	0	14				
Bercer,g	0	0	0	Totals	15	3	33
Totals	24	1	49				

	G	FG	P		G	FG	P
Peck				L. D. S.			
C. Kline,f	0	1	1	Kennedy,f	3	1	7
B. King,f	0	0	0	Shr'erson,f	4	0	8
S. Brown,f	0	0	0	Badger,f	5	1	11
Densmore,c	4	0	8	Evans,c	5	0	10
E. Brown,g	1	0	2	Brumbaugh,g	1	1	3
Bass,g	5	2	12	Boden,g	8	0	16
Stack,g	3	1	7				
Mills,g	0	0	0	Totals	26	3	55
Totals	13	4	30				

Referee—Wallace. Umpire—Ervin.

	G	FG	P		G	FG	P
9th St. Ch.				Con. Luth.			
Huckett,f	2	1	5	C. Grimm,f	1	3	5
Shannon,f	0	0	0	Abmer,f	2	0	4
Whitney,f	5	0	10	E. Grimm,f	1	2	4
Warner,c	1	0	2	Steiner,c	0	0	0
Poston,g	0	0	0	Stroble,c0000	0	1	1
Bowling,g	0	0	0	R. Miller,g	3	0	6
Keezy,g	1	2	4	D. Miller,g	0	0	0
Totals	9	3	21	Totals	7	6	20

Barons Triumph

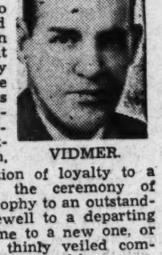
Cleveland, Dec. 18 (U.P.).—The Cleveland Barons defeated the Philadelphia Ramblers, 5-3, today in an International Hockey League game. The Barons won with three goals in an overtime period.

Down in Front

With Richards Vidmer

The Years Roll Back

Somehow, at this time of year, banquets seem to come in bunches. All sorts of excuses are offered for gathering a lot of men together, feeding them on chicken and mashed potatoes, and forcing them to listen to long-winded speeches on subjects about which they know little and care less—the celebration of a successful football season,



VIDMER.

a demonstration of loyalty to a losing team, the ceremony of awarding a trophy to an outstanding star, farewell to a departing coach, welcome to a new one, or sometimes a thinly veiled commercial enterprise seeking recognition and publicity.

Banquets, as a steady diet, can soon become a distinct bore and it is not long before you get rather fed up. But this one was different. There was no staring throng, only the dais. There wasn't one who sat at the single table heard the cheers of the public rolling down from the stands and stadia as they stood on fields of action. And there was no excuse for the occasion except the friendship of two men who had roomed together, worked together, played together side by side and long ago.

Only Yesterday

And as my eyes went wandering around the board, the years easily rolled back—five, ten, fifteen years.

There sat Win Lovejoy and not far away Mal Stevens. Fifteen years ago one was playing center for one of Yale's greatest football teams and the other was a swivel-hipped back on the same Blue machine. Fifteen years ago Lovejoy and Stevens were team mates at New Haven, roaring along in the great gray bowl, parading through a season unbroken by def

Financial and Business News

$50,000,000 Notes Offered Today by RFC

1⅜% Fed. Mortgage Obligations Priced At Par and Interest

By the Associated Press.

The Reconstruction Finance Corporation invited subscriptions today, at par and accrued interest, for $50,000,000 of series B, 1⅜ per cent notes of the Federal National Mortgage Association.

The entire stock of the association, organized last February with paid-in capital of $10,000,000 and paid-in surplus of $1,000,000, is owned by the RFC. It has outstanding $29,748,000 of 2 per cent notes, series A. Chairman Jesse Jones said that undivided profits of the association amount to about $500,000.

The financing, he explained, would provide additional funds for use primarily in purchasing mortgages insured by the Federal Housing Administration and in making loans secured by FHA-insured mortgages.

Mature in 1944

The notes will be dated January 3, 1939, and will mature on January 3, 1944. They will not be callable during the first year, but will be callable after that at 102 per cent, and each succeeding year at 101½ per cent, 101 per cent and 100½ per cent, respectively, plus accrued interest. Their principal and interest will be exempt from Federal, State, municipal and local taxation except surtaxes, estate, inheritance and gift taxes.

Subscriptions will be received by the RFC and its loan agencies. Banking institutions may submit subscriptions for account of customers. Cash subscriptions by banks and trust companies (not exceeding one-half their capital and surplus) for their own account will be received without deposit. Cash subscriptions from all others must be accompanied by payment of 5 per cent of the amount of notes applied for.

Anglo-Calif. Bank To Add Capital

San Francisco, Dec. 18 (AP).—The Anglo-California National Bank announced plans today for increasing its capital stock through sale to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation of $8,000,000 in new preferred stock. R. D. Brigham, vice president, issued the following statement outlining the plan:

"A stockholders meeting of the Anglo-California National Bank has been called for December 28 for the purpose of increasing the bank's capital stock through the issuance and sale to the RFC of additional preferred stock. It is proposed that the present common stock of $10,000,000 will be reduced to $10,000,000, the bank surrendering the odd amount of shares which it has already acquired. The present $5,000,000 6 per cent stock will be retired, and $8,000,000 new preferred stock authorized and sold to the RFC for $20,000,000, thus giving the bank $15,000,000 new capital funds which will enable it to set up ample reserves.

"When the rearranged capital structure has been completed on December 28, the bank will have $10,000,000 common stock, $8,000,000 preferred stock and approximately $7,000,000 surplus, reserves and undivided profits, or total capital funds of approximately $25,000,000.

Columbia Broadcasting Enters Record Field

New York, Dec. 18.—The Columbia Broadcasting System yesterday purchased the American Record Corporation from Consolidated Film Industries, Inc., it was announced by William S. Paley, president of Columbia. An interesting aspect of the purchase is that the Columbia Phonograph Co., one of the American Record Corporation subsidiaries, some years ago was the owner of the Columbia Broadcasting System.

Through the acquisition the Columbia Broadcasting System takes over the manufacture and distribution not only of Columbia phonograph records but also of Brunswick, Vocalian and other well-known labels.

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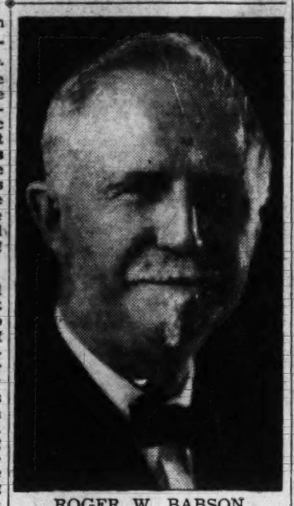
Nazi Influence Spreads Apace In South America, Babson Says

Finds Hitler's Agents Winning Trade Barter and Blocked Marks Are Weapons Urges United States Counter-Offensive

By Roger W. Babson.

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 18.—The pow-wow down in Lima, Peru, is a good thing. Leaders of the various Pan-American nations should get together and know each other. Such meetings, however, compare with the German "get-acquainted" methods in South America as a ladies' auxiliary tea compares with a C. I. O. strike meeting. The truth is that the Fascist penetration of Latin America is far more effective than our easy going American methods.



ROGER W. BABSON

Every traveler who returns from South America has fresh illustrations of growing Nazi influence. Despite the Monroe Doctrine, the agents of Hitler and Mussolini are running circles around us. Outright barter, blocked marks, public subsidies and price-cutting are just a few of the competitive handicaps our salesmen have to hurdle. The huge gains in trade which Hitler's clever business experts have chalked up are almost unbelievable—a 500 per cent increase in Central America alone in the last five years!

Hitlerizing

It is no secret that the United States, of all nations, is the most hated by the Berlin-Rome-Tokyo axis. Five years ago, 3,000 miles of ocean separated us from our "enemies;" five years from now only the width of the Panama Canal may lie between us. While the Fascists would not openly dare to build a naval or air base in this hemisphere, in reality they are doing something far more dangerous: They are cutting us out economically with the Latin-Americans. They are doing it by a clever program of penetration and propaganda. They are bombarding the continent with Fascist broadcasts 24 hours a day. They control and color the news services.

Many of the newspapers are German-owned—15 in Brazil alone. There are 1,400 German schools in Brazil—all run on straight Nazi lines. They have about 40 landing fields in the same country. Their air-lines have brought Rio de Janeiro and Buenos Aires nearer Berlin than New York. Italian airmen train South American aviators. On the eve of the Lima conference, Japan completed a deal with Peru to buy 3,000 tons of cotton yearly in exchange for the lifting of Peruvian restrictions on Nipponese textiles. A Lima-Tokio telephone service will soon be installed. Through government-controlled trade, Germany and Japan sell manufactured goods in South America and often take their pay in oil or mining concessions.

"Heil" in Panama

The basic reason for Fascist success in penetrating South America, however, is their immigration. Buenos Aires, for instance, is the second largest Italian city in the world. (New York is first.) The Japs are thick all along the West Coast, while the Germans are the most numerous and influential foreigners on the South American continent. These Germans are loyal to Hitler. They rag the Jews. They use the same strong-arm methods in snaring trade as Der Fuehrer used in snatching Austria. The Nazi slogans and tub-thumping organizations have all been carted across the ocean. You only have to go as far south as Panama to hear marching Bunds shout "Heil."

How can we hold our own? First, our brand new navy will make a big impression. Herr Hitler knows the language of guns. So do all the little dictators who control the Latin American "republics." Second, our reciprocal trade agreements are helping even though they are not so effective as Germany's system of blocked marks and government barter. (Blocked marks can be used only in buying German-made goods.) Third, the new attitude of the Washington government—such as naming commercial steamships after Latin nations—will help. In addition there are other things we can do that are not being done.

Teach More Spanish

We can feature South America in our papers and schools. Our dailies and our textbooks are filled with a lot of nonsense about Europe and scarcely anything about South America. We can teach more Spanish in our schools in place of French, German and Latin. Nothing helps to create better feeling than to be able to speak another man's language. We can send high-grade representatives to the South. Many a sharp deal has been pulled down there by unscrupulous "Yankees." We can sell our best-quality products in South America. I am told that we have used it as a dumping ground for shoddy and second-hand machinery.

Finally, we can match Japanese, German, and Italian immigration with American immigration. We have 9,000,000 jobless—many of them driven out of the old Dust Bowl. They cost Uncle Sam an average of $500 each per year for welfare. Why not select some of the most ambitious of the unemployed and give them a year's relief check in advance as their stake to a new start in such countries as Bolivia, Argentina, and Brazil? These nations need more people of the American pioneer type.

Create a New Frontier

At the same time we need a new frontier. Our unemployment problem and the filling up of our West are closely related. Recently we spent millions in trying to create a new frontier for the jobless up near the Arctic Circle in Alaska. Why not send some of them to countries whose climate is as temperate as California's and whose fields are as fertile as Iowa's?

Bolivia, third largest South American nation, is actually soliciting colonists. Her people are so busy mining that they have no time to raise their food. I hear that she is offering 2,500 acres to every immigrant who will agree to farm. Additional land can be had for 2½ cents per acre! By sending emigrants to Bolivia, we would reduce our jobless, cut our relief costs, and launch unfortunate human beings on a new life. At the same time, we would throw up a counter-buffer to Nazi penetration on this crucial continent. I hope Washington will make the most of this opportunity!

D. C. Securities

(Reported by Johnston, Lemon & Co.)
Closing bid and asked quotations on Washington securities which are traded over the counter follow:

	Bid	Asked
Bonds		
Barber & Ross deb 4s, 1945	90	....
Chandler Bldg 1st 6s	55	65
Consolidated Title 6s, 1951	100	101
D C Paper Mill 1st 3s, 1946	*15	20
Hamilton Realty 1st 5s, 1945	97	....
La Salle South Actuals	50	....
Mayflower Hotel 1st 5s, 1950	84	89
Natl Press Bldg 1st 3-5s, 1950	72	77
Nat Pr Bldg adj inc 4½s, '50	17	20
Racquet Club 1st 5s, 1945	48	....
Wash Auditorium 1st 6s, 1944	78	83
Wash Properties 7, 1952	53	58
Stocks		
American Co pf	40	....
American Co com	12	....
Anacostia Bank	150	....
Anacostia Finance	⅜	....
Barber & Ross pf (new)	13	....
Barber & Ross com "B"	2¼	....
City Bank	17¼	....
Columbia National Bank	218	....
Consolidated Title pf	*40	50
Consolidated Title com	*7½	10
Dist Nat Sec pf	25	31
East Washington Sav Bk	14	16
Fidelity Storage	108	....
Griffith Consumers pf	104	....
Griffith Consumers com	47	53
Hamilton National Bank	27¾	30¾
International Finance Units	13	....
Lincoln Hall Assocaton	*80	95
Mer Trans & Stor pf	17½	....
Mer Trans & Stor com	½	....
Munsey Trust	*80	95
National Capital Insurance	15	18
National Mtge & Invest pf	1¾	3
National Mtge & Invest com	20c	....
National Metropolitan Bank	240	265
Raleigh Hotel com	15	20
Real Estate Mtge & Guar com	1½	....
Second National Bank	55	75
Security Sav & Comi	125	150
Southern Oxygen com (new)	*33	....
Union Finance Units	23	....
Union Trust	88	100
Washington Baseball Club	40	....
Wash Convention Hall pf	85	....
Wash Convention Hall com	10	....
Wash Properties v. t. c.	3	4

Steel Outlook Promising for First Quarter

Output Off in Week To 58 Per Cent but Less Than Seasonal

By the Associated Press.

Cleveland, Dec. 18.—Activity in the steel market is being affected less than usual by failure of the end of the year season buying slump to develop, the magazine Steel says, enhancing the outlook for the first quarter of next year.

Steelmaking receded 3 points to 58 per cent last week, a reduction of only 5 points from the year's peak during the week of November 19. A sustaining influence early next year is seen in revival of purchasing by railroads, which also has bolstered current sales.

Outstanding in the railroad markets were orders by Chesapeake & Ohio for 25,000 tons of rails, by Norfolk & Western for 1,500 hopper cars, and by the Pullman company for 40 sleeping cars. Inquiries also were received from the Illinois Central for 1,000 gondola cars and from the Chicago & North Western for two ten-car streamlined trains.

Public Works a Spur

Public Works Administration project orders continued to stimulate the market for structural shapes and reinforcing bars, while awards of fabricated structural shapes also increased, largely the result of a 16,500-ton order for New York's new criminal courts building.

Steel production remained unchanged or increased in most districts, with the 3-point drop in the national rate caused by reductions of 2 points to 41 per cent at Pittsburgh, 9 to 56 at Youngstown, 7.5 to 59 at Cleveland, 10 to 70 in New England, and 5 to 44 at Buffalo. Detroit operations increased 3 points to 89 per cent, Birmingham 7 to 82 and Chicago 0.5 to 60. Unchanged were eastern Pennsylvania at 37, Cincinnati at 75, Wheeling at 62 and St. Louis at 51.5.

Scrap remained quiet, with prices generally easy, although activity in export material raised the scrap composite 17 cents, to $14.83, and the iron and steel composite 2 cents, to 036.38. The finished steel composite was unchanged at $56.50.

Baruch Reported Backing Hopkins For Cabinet Place

Apparently so definitely is Harry Hopkins, Works Progress administrator, slated for the post of Secretary of Commerce, that Bernard Baruch, New York industrialist and friend of the President, was reported yesterday to be putting in kind words with Senators for confirmation of such an appointment. Resignation of Secretary Roper is effective Friday.

The indication that Baruch is taking a hand was noted with surprise because on several fundamental economic principles he and Hopkins have been at opposite poles. However, the explanation in informed circles is that Baruch and Hopkins have struck up a personal acquaintance which has developed into a feeling of mutual regard.

Baruch, it was established yesterday, has been industrious here also in discussing with legislators the Administration's national defense program.

Slovaks Hold First One-Party Voting

Bratislava, Czecho-Slovakia, Dec. 18 (AP).—The first election under Czecho-Slovakia's new government of centralized power was held today when Slovaks chose their initial provincial diet.

Only one list of candidates, those of the Slovak People's Party founded by the late autonomy leader, Father Andrea Hlinka, was permitted.

Dr. Joseph Tiso, who on December 1 was named premier and minister of the interior for Slovak territories, headed the ticket.

There were some Germans and Hungarians among the candidates, but no Czechs or Jews, of whom several hundred thousand live in Slovakia.

W. H. Doffermyre Rites Tomorrow

Funeral rites for William H. Doffermyre, 58, a resident of Washington for 30 years, who died Saturday in Emergency Hospital after a two months' illness, will be held at 2 p. m. tomorrow from the Ryan funeral home, 317 Pennsylvania avenue southeast. Burial will be in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Born in Rappahannock County, Va., Mr. Doffermyre came to Washington as a young man. For the last 15 years he had worked as an agent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.

Mr. Doffermyre was active in the Metropolitan Baptist Church and formerly was a member of the Chamber of Commerce.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Brydie Weaver Doffermyre, Mr. Doffermyre leaves a son, Wayland Doffermyre, of this city, and two daughters, Mrs. Louise Goubeau, of Colonial Village, Va., and Miss Lorraine Doffermyre, of Washington.

Rites Set Today For Mrs. Nelson

Requiem mass for Mrs. Cecilia Nelson, widow of Archie Nelson, Washington fireman, who died suddenly on Saturday at her home, 5534 Fifth street northwest, will be said at Nativity Catholic Church, 6000 Georgia avenue northwest, at 9 a. m. tomorrow. Burial will be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

A lifelong resident of the District, Mrs. Nelson was active in the Sodality of the Nativity Church.

Mrs. Nelson leaves four sons, John, Archie, Raymond and Paul Nelson, a policeman at the Eighth Precinct; three daughters, Mrs. Ellen Sprinkle, Mrs. Catherine White, and Miss Irene Nelson, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Reed, all of this city.

Baltimore's Ex-Police Head Guilty in Fraud

Lawson, 3 Business Aides, Convicted In Brokerage Case

By the Associated Press.

Baltimore, Dec. 18.—Former Police Commissioner William P. Lawson and three business associates were convicted tonight of conspiracy to defraud customers of a brokerage firm formerly headed by Lawson.

The criminal court jury recommended mercy of the court for the three associates, but did not extend the recommendation to include the former police commissioner.

Those found guilty with Lawson were Frank Mueller, Frederick A. Mueller and Vincent L. Clisham.

Seek New Trial

Defense attorneys immediately filed motion for a new trial, and Presiding Judge Joseph N. Ullman continued the bail on which the defendants had been at liberty until the new trial motion is passed upon by the supreme bench.

The four were found guilty on both counts of the indictment, which charged that fraud had been committed under the conspiracy and that fraud upon others was contemplated.

The Muellers, who are brothers, were named as officials of the Standard Royalty Income Corporation and the Distillers' Certificates Corporation, affiliate corporation of the William P. Lawson Co. Clisham was a stock salesman for the Lawson company and the affiliates.

Prominent in G. O. P.

Deputy State's Attorney William H. Maynard asserted before the jury the defendants defrauded their customers by means of a "blind pool, in which early stockholders were paid dividends out of money received for the purchase of stock by later investors."

Lawson, who has been prominent in Republican Party politics, was named police commissioner by Gov. Nice. He resigned after the Securities Exchange Commission filed civil charges against his firm, operation of which was banned by a permanent injunction asked by the SEC.

The criminal charges were filed following the trial on the civil charges.

French Navy, Army Staff Chiefs to Tour African Defenses

Paris, Dec. 18 (U.P.).—France today took steps to bolster her North African defenses against Italian demands with an announcement that Gen. Maurice Gamelin of the general staff and Vice Admiral Francois Darlan will make a colonial tour of inspection next month.

It was indicated the military and naval staff leaders would seek to speed co-ordination of military and naval programs in Tunisia, Algeria and Morocco, including 250,000 troops garrisoned there.

There was a possibility that the tour of Gamelin and Darlan might coincide with a visit which Premier Daladier—he also is minister of war—will make in January to North Africa and the strategic French island of Corsica.

Arab Band Strafed As 3,000 Pledge Loyalty to British

Jerusalem, Dec. 18 (AP).—British airplanes and ground forces inflicted heavy casualties on an Arab rebel band today while Arab residents of the town of Yatta, 8 miles away, were engaged in a demonstration of loyalty to Britain.

A Royal Air Force pilot and a soldier were wounded in the engagement, which came at the height of the loyalty demonstration staged by a colorful array of 3,000 Arab villagers gathered just outside Yatta, bleak hillside community south of Hebron.

Meanwhile, one passenger was killed and another wounded when an Arab band ambused a Jewish bus on the Haifa-Tel Aviv northern road.

In the old city of Jerusalem, Sheik Al Khatib, a priest in the Mosque of Omar, was shot and killed by an assailant who escaped.

The shiek was among a group of Arabs who invited British troops recently to inspect the precincts of the mosque when it was alleged Arab snipers were hidden there.

Supreme Court To Honor Cardozo, Then Take Recess

By the United Press.

The Supreme Court will pay tribute today to Justice Benjamin N. Cardozo and may rule on several controversies in which he was interested. It then will recess for two weeks.

Eulogy ceremonies for Cardozo will begin when Attorney General Cummings presents a resolution praising the late justice, adopted by the lawyers practicing before the tribunal. The Cabinet officer is expected to make a brief speech and Chief Justice Hughes will voice the sentiment of his colleagues.

A number of important cases are before the court, but unless it shatters precedent it will not act on them on the eve of a recess. They include a challenge of the legality of the Tennessee Valley Authority program.

Pennsylvania Girl, 20, Feared Kidnap Victim

Kingston, Pa., Dec. 18 (AP).—Pennsylvania State police tonight broadcast an appeal for assistance in finding Margaret Martin, 20, pretty daughter of a Luzerne County Democratic committeeman. They believed she was abducted yesterday.

Maj. William A. Clark, of the Wyoming Police Barracks, said the girl had not been seen since she left her home to meet a man who had telephoned earlier offering her a job as a stenographer in an insurance office. The man's identity was not known.

Postlude

By Ray C. B. Brown.

Hans Kindler conducts the National Symphony Orchestra Sunday afternoon at Constitution Hall, with Lucille Manners, soprano, as soloist. Program: Prelude and Fugue in C minor (Bach), "Pastorales" (Freed), "Convien Partir" from "La Figlia del Regimento" (Donizetti), "Morgenhymne" (Henschel), "Ouvre ton Coeur" (Bizet), Symphony No. 7 in C major (Schubert).

Making an appearance deferred three weeks by an attack of laryngitis, Lucille Manners was hospitably received by a large audience at yesterday afternoon's concert by the National Symphony Orchestra at Constitution Hall.

The young American soprano made so favorable an impression that she was recalled for three extra numbers after she had sung "Convien Partir" from Donizetti's "La Figlia del Regimento," Georg Herschel's "Morgenhymne" and Bizet's serenade in Spanish style, "Ouvre ton coeur." Her additional offerings were another aria from "The Daughter of the Regiment" and Max Reger's "Marias Wiegenlied," followed by a repetition of the Reger carol when the demands of the auditors exceeded her expectation.

Miss Manners has a lyric voice of pleasurable quality and there is a flexible ease in her use of it. The tone is clear and precisely pitched and the production has a commendable method save for a tendency to excessive vibrato in sustained open notes. Her phrasing shows good breath control and a sedulous regard for the flow of the melodic line.

One congratulates Dr. Hans Kindler on his choice of Isadore Freed's "Pastorales" as an addition to the list of premieres presented by our orchestra. This suite of eight short movements is descriptive music enjoyable both in its melodic material and in the restrained modernism of the harmonic treatment. The atmospheric continuity would be bettered if the seventh number were made the fifth and the pieces played in the following order: "The Bells," "The Mill," "The Hidden Brook," "Grey Skies," "The Country Cart," "The Shepherd's Pipe," "At the Fair" and "The Country Revel."

A Russian by birth and an American since childhood, Mr. Freed writes in an international idiom which has been facilitated by his pupillary relations with Vincent d'Indy and Ernest Bloch. In this suite he reveals a fecund fancy and a poetic instinct. His melodies have freshness and spontaneity and his rhythmic sense is acute, while his instrumentation shows an adroit hand in the manipulation of color. The music has inherent vitality and the charm which radiates from a sincere volition. Applause in generous proportions greeted the composer, who was present to hear Dr. Kindler's effective presentation.

The program began with Edgar T. Paul's orchestral transcription of Bach's organ prelude and fugue in C minor, which was introduced here earlier this season, and closed with Schubert's C major symphony. The performance of the symphony was persuasive in mood and richly colored in tone.

Gertrude Clarke Whittall Foundation in the Library of Congress presents the Gordon String Quartet (Jacques Gordon, David Sackson, William Lincer and Naoum Benditzki) and Emanuel Wishnow, violinist, at the Coolidge Auditorium Sunday night. Program: Quintet, No. 4, in E flat major (Johann Christian Bach), Duo for violin and viola, K. 424 (Mozart), Quartet in C minor, Op. 51, No. 1 (Brahms), Quintet in one movement (Charles Martin Loeffler).

In commemoration of the death on December 18, 1737, of Antonio Stradivari at Cremona, the Gertrude Clarke Whittall Foundation at the Library of Congress offered last evening a concert in which the five Stradivari instruments of the Whittall collection all were used together in public for the first time since their donation. The players were Jacques Gordon, David Sackson, William Lincer, Naoum Benditzki and Emanuel Wishnow.

The program began with a quintet in E flat major for three violins, viola and violoncello by Johann Christian Bach, usually known as the London Bach because of his successful career in the British capital. This work, like the other instrumental quintets by this famous son of a famous father, was originally scored, in the terminology of the period, for flute, hautboy, violin, tenor and bass.

Mozart's charming duet for violin and viola was brought forward for one of its infrequent hearings and delightfully played by David Sackson and William Lincer. In 1783 composers did not worry about duets being too long, and this one moved enjoyably through three movements: an Adagio-Allegro, an Andante Cantabile and a theme with variations.

The rest of the program consisted of the C minor quartet of Brahms from Opus 51 and the romantic one-movement quintet by the late Charles Martin Loeffler.

Arlington, Fairfax Join War on Cupid

Counties to Emulate Alexandria in Setting Brakes on Marriage

With application of brakes to express-train marriages in the City of Alexandria today, clerks of nearby Arlington and Fairfax counties were laying plans to prevent establishment of mushroom "Gretna Greens" within their jurisdictions.

John M. Whalen, clerk of Fairfax County, warned last night that if there are any indications of Fairfax repeating Alexandria's hectic experience of last week, he will apply the same regulation in which the city hopes to find refuge.

After issuing 119 marriage licenses in the week, Clerk Elliott F. Hoffman, of Alexandria, announced Saturday that, beginning today, he might demand a lapse of three days between application for and issuance of a permit to marry.

No Matrimonial Mart

Hoffman based his ruling on an opinion of Commonwealth's Attorney Albert V. Bryan, who held that a State law of 1918 gave a clerk discretionary power to hold up licenses several days if necessary.

"I don't intend to impose hardships on couples who reside in Fairfax County," Whalen said, "but I do intend to co-operate heartily in any plans to prevent northern Virginia from becoming a matrimonial mart." Whalen was one of the chief supporters of a bill introduced in the last Virginia Assembly by Delegate Francis Pickens Miller, of Fairfax County, which would require the filing of notice of intention to marry.

C. Benjamin Laycock, clerk of the court for Arlington County, said that if Arlington is flooded with couples seeking curb service from Cupid, he will ask Commonwealth's Attorney Lawrence W. Douglas for advice. Douglas, in the meanwhile, has indicated agreement with Bryan's opinion.

No Incentive in Fees

Despite Alexandria's all-time record for issuance of marriage licenses last week, neither Arlington nor Fairfax saw any upturn. But now the municipality has clamped down on matrimonial speedsters, the two counties expect outsiders may be diverted in their direction.

Although the clerks of both counties and Alexandria are paid from fees they collect, it was pointed out yesterday they have no incentive for stimulating the marriage license "business." In all three jurisdictions last year the clerks received from fees the maximum amounts allowed by the State compensation commission.

In Fairfax, for instance, the county clerk is permitted $7,100 a year in fees and a certain amount for office expenses. Anything in excess must be turned over to the State. Last year the Fairfax clerk took in total receipts of $18,046.36. Of this sum he paid $7,470.10 in office expenses (including deputies), kept $7,100 as the legal compensation and sent the balance, $3,476.26, to the State treasury.

Receipts this year have been running ahead of last year, but the maximum legal compensation remains the same. Consequently, any unusual rush for marriage licenses would be of no financial interest to the clerks. A situation similar to that in Fairfax exists in both Arlington and Alexandria.

Hotel Promotion Aide

Roy Miller has been appointed promotion manager of the Washington Hotel, Floyd E. Rush, manager, announced yesterday. Miller was formerly New York representative of the Mayflower and for six years was connected with the Washington Board of Trade.

Ciano's Trip To Hungary Hints 'Reform'

Nazi Power Grows in Budapest; Magyars Now Eye Rumania

By James M. Minifie

Special Cable to The Post.

Rome, Dec. 18.—Italian Foreign Minister Ciano left for Budapest today, officially to attend a hunting party at the invitation of Premier Imredi and to sign an Italo-Hungarian cultural pact.

Authoritative writers in Italian newspapers, however, hinted Hungary was on the eve of "timely and enlightened internal reform," as La Voce d'Italia put it, adding that Ciano would be in position to give a first-hand account of "the directives, methods and results of the great and courageous reforms in Italy."

"In similar action in Hungary," the paper said, "lies the secret of national unity, strength and the capacity to assume the great tasks of foreign policy."

The Hungarian government hitherto has fought off totalitarian tendencies. German expansion after Munich, however, has strengthened the Hungarian Nazi party—paradoxically, since German plans for expansion eastward defeated Hungarian hopes of annexing Ruthenia.

Virginio Gayda, authoritative editor, declared that, in view of Hungary's adherence to the policy of the Rome-Berlin axis, she would "harmonize, along the lines indicated by Rome and Berlin, certain aspects of her foreign policy which were formerly instinctive."

In other words, Budapest apparently is expected to expand, not in the direction of Yugoslavia, but eastward, toward the vast former Hungarian domain of Transylvania, now incorporated in Rumania.

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Triplets Boost Size Of Family to 5 Girls

Detroit, Dec. 18 (AP).—Santa Claus made an early visit to the family of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Surgrue today and left triplet daughters.

The Surgrues already have two girls, Jean, 7, and Eleanor, 3. The father is a bus driver for the Detroit Street Railways.

The 30-year-old mother and the three newcomers were reported as "doing well" at the hospital where the girls were born.

German Jews Facing Threat Of Starvation

Thousands Destitute, Relief Funds Nearly Exhausted, Leaders Say

By the United Press.

Berlin, Dec. 18.—Jewish leaders tonight reported their welfare funds nearly exhausted and thousands of German Jews on the verge of destitution and actual hunger, particularly in Austria, because of the Reich's sweeping anti-Semitic measures.

Recent Nazi decrees have driven poorer Jews to pauperism while once-wealthy Jews who in the past contributed heavily to relief funds have been stripped of the bulk of their fortunes by the government's $400,000,000 collective "fine," about $200,000,000 in riot damages and the forced liquidation of Jewish businesses.

Leaders of Jewish communities, explaining Jews can neither apply for employment at government bureaus nor place their names on public relief rolls, said the suffering already has reached an acute stage in the Province of Austria—now "Ostmark."

The greater suffering in Austria was explained by the fact the "Aryanization" process, under way in Germany for five years, forcing many to emigrate, has been completed there almost overnight.

Many of the Jews remaining in Germany until now have been nursing reserves, hence they have not starved.

Information from Jewish quarters in Vienna indicated at least half of Austria's 225,000 to 250,000 Jews—what remain of 300,000 there when Germany annexed Austria last March—are unable to afford fuel for heating and are compelled to watch their food and clothing budgets closely.

The Vienna Jewish community's funds were said to be so low that since December 9 most of the food kitchens have been serving only one warm meal a day. Some had closed.

New Netherlands Envoy Finds D. C. Change 'Splendid'

Dr. Alexander Loudon, recently appointed minister from The Netherlands, who hadn't been in Washington since he was a secretary here in 1926, found the new buildings along Constitution avenue "absolutely marvelous" when he arrived yesterday.

Beautiful, impressive, splendid, were among adjectives Dr. Loudon used to express his admiration for changes in the Capital.

Dr. Loudon and his American-born wife, the former Miss Beatrice Cobb, were met at Union Station yesterday by Stanley Woodward, assistant chief of the division of protocol of the State Department, and the entire Netherlands Legation staff.

Dr. and Mrs. Loudon will live at the Shoreham Hotel temporarily.

Va. Game Board Member Fined for Taking Spike Deer

Hot Springs, Va., Dec. 18 (AP).—Trial Justice W. Howard McClintic, of Bath County, said today that Thomas G. Herring, of Harrisonburg, member of the Virginia Fish and Game Commission, had been fined for illegal killing of a spike deer.

McClintic said Herring and his brother, C. G. Herring, both pleaded guilty to charges of killing spike deer and each had paid $10 fines, $5 costs and $15 for replacements. The trial justice said the charges were preferred by a deputy game warden about two weeks ago.

A spike deer is a male in its second year, with single-forked antlers or spikes. Virginia law prohibits the killing of such deer.

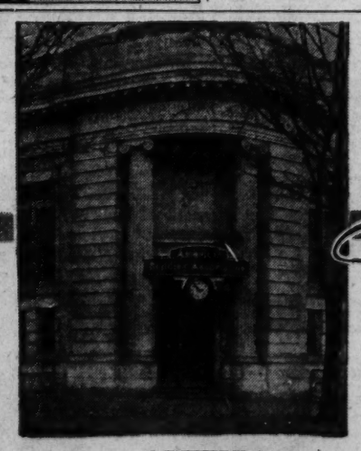
Masonic Funeral Is Set Tomorrow For I. E. Rossiter

Masonic funeral services for Ignatius E. Rossiter, 69, retired Washington policeman, who died Saturday at his home, 503 Fourth street southeast, will be held there at 2 p. m. Tuesday. Burial will be in Prospect Hill Cemetery.

A native of Baltimore County, Md., Mr. Rossiter came to Washington in his youth. For 33 years a District policeman, he was desk sergeant at the Ninth Precinct when he retired eight years ago.

Mr. Rossiter was a member of the Harmony Lodge of Masons, the Circle Club, and the Retired Policeman's Association.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Bessie Rossiter, he leaves four brothers, Joseph C., Thomas J., Charles A., all of Washington, and George Rossiter, of Baltimore.



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Daily assignment, December 19, 1938.

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325, 63725—McCarthy vs. McCarthy. Attys., J. P. Quijano; E. M. Fonbuena—William Kelly.

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1028—Isabell C. Washington vs. George L. Washington; limited divorce. Atty., William Mendell.

1029—Continental Casualty Co. vs. Cardillo; mandatory injunction. Atty., Norman Fischer.

1030—Woodward & Lothrop vs. Wave M. Shearer, account. Attys., King & Nordlinger.

1031—Arthur C. Wick, etc., vs. Cornelia Walsh et al.; to set aside fraudulent transfer. Atty., Joseph A. Cantrell.

1032—Mildred De Sousa vs. Arthur De Sousa; absolute divorce. Atty., George Papanicolas.

1033—Minnie Nathalie Bradley vs. James Daniel Bradley; limited divorce. Atty., Mata P. Hilgeson.

1034—Robert M. McCormick, etc., vs. William W. Weinstein, et al.; damages. Atty., Ralph A. Cusick.

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1036—Spring Products Corporation vs. Charles J. Stein, etc., account. Attys., Spencer Gordon, H. Thomas Austern & Fontaine C. Bradley.

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1044—Willard E. Lloyd vs. Wade H. Coombs, et al.; to require issuance of taxicab license. Attys., Whiteford, Marshall, Hart & Carmody.

1045—Donnally Crist vs. Martin A. Strafield; damages. Atty., Thomas E. Rhodes.

1046—Mary A. Beall vs. Milton E. Beall; limited divorce. Atty., John A. Ryan.

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1049—Ray J. Gorby, trustee, et al. vs. Vernon G. Owen, trustee, et al.; accounting. Atty., Carl K. Goodson.

1050—Frances Evarts Clark vs. Volney O. Clark; absolute divorce. Atty., Vivian O. Hill.

1051—William E. Miller Furniture Co. vs. Nathan Wolman; to foreclose lien. Atty., Simon Hirshman.

1052—Charles W. Carter vs. Associates Discount Corporation et al.; injunction, etc. Atty., Lewis H. Barnes.

1053—The Texas Co. vs. Conway P. Coe, Commissioner of Patents; for letters patent. Atty., Edward B. Beale.

1054—Sam Howell, jr., vs. United States; policy. Atty., Warren E. Miller.

1055—Mrs. Rita Croghan vs. Independent Taxi Owners Association; damages, $15,000. Attys., C. E. Nichols, Jr., T. Ormonde Nichols.

1056—Ann Graves vs. Thomas Earl Graves; absolute divorce. Atty., Joseph M. Tanenbaum.

1057—Reginald Alvin Froe et al. vs. Howard A. Thomas; to enforce mechanic's lien. Attys., Cobb, Howard & Hayes.

1058—Rose L. Grant vs. J. Garner Gates et al.; ejectment. Atty., Raymond Gittelman.

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66096—First National Bank of Cumberland vs. Burzer et al.; order instructing trustee.

1021—Columbia Building Association vs. Barlow; order substituting trustees.

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63743—Mayes vs. Mayes; rule continued to January 20.

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Estate of Mary Alice Geddes; will dated October 7, 1938.

Estate of Mamie G. Hunt; will dated November 30, 1932.

Estate of Mary E. Stockett; letters testamentary to Imogene C. Stockett and Mary Ellen Moran; special bond, $2,000. Atty., C. J. Quinn.

Estate of Jane L. Roberts; letters of administration to William C. Roberts; special bond, $1,000. Atty., J. A. Padway.

Estate of Edith D. Wilhoite; letters of administration to Laurence M. Wilhoite; bond, $1,000. Attys., Caine, Brown & Howard.

Estate of Colie E. C. Winfield; order authorizing payment of $35 fee to W. H. Ramsey, guardian ad litem.

Estate of Edna K. Harrison; order authorizing payment of $25 fee to R. D Quinter, jr., guardian ad litem.

Estate of John C. Weedon; order ratifying sale of real estate. Attys., Whiteford, Marshall, Hart & Carmody.

Estate of Max Berlin; order for commission to issue. Atty., J. C. Suraci.

Estate of J. Harris Franklin; order for transfer of bond. Atty., J. A. Roney.

Estate of George Y. Worthington; order for sale of stock. Attys., Peter & Baden.

Estate of John A. M. Adair; order granting ancillary letters of administration to Herbert J. Adair; bond, $1,000. Atty., John R. Reeves.

Estate of William H. Geizenberger; will dated March 4, 1938.

Estate of Margaret A. Stansbury; will dated June 1, 1930.

Vital Statistics

Deaths

Margaret McKellip, 84, 3720 Upton st. nw.

Maria A. Smith, 83, 2707 Adams Mill rd.

Edith Guy, 83, 645 5th st. ne.

Mary A. Geddes, 80, 1313 Columbia rd. nw.

Mary Shirley, 78, 1212 Potomac st. nw.

James Breeden, 74, Gallinger Hospl.

Anna L. Mussins, 68, 1005 New Hampshire ave. nw.

Marquette, Hubt, 64, Sibley Hospl.

Sallie Garrettson, 62, Georgetown Hospl.

Romine L. Usilton, 40, 2650 Wisc. ave. nw.

Francis X. Johnson, 23, 804 L st. ne.

Infant Simpson, 1 mo., Providence Hospl.

Lucy Young, 74, St. Eliz. Hospl.

Florence Jackson, 70, 221 K st. nw.

Abraham Jackson, 57, Gallinger Hospl.

William Walker, 48, Freedmen's Hospl.

Bowers Bristol, 41, 2650 Wisc. ave. nw.

Harry Saunders, 40, Freedmen's Hospl.

Martha A. Ghee, 6, Freedmen's Hospl.

Births

John and Edith McKeller, girl.

John and Mildred Daly, girl.

Joseph and Lillian Hiscox, girl.

Wesley and Cecelia Kidwell, boy.

Edmund and Marguerite Neber, girl.

Charles and Helena Morrison, boy.

John and Helen Kinadon, boy.

Jack and Clara Kaplan, girl.

Robert and Virginia Bray, boy.

Leroy and Eleanor Benson, boy.

Albert and Helen Wallace, girl.

Norman and Keona Penquite, boy.

Colon and Clara Omonhundro, boy.

Pierce and Minnie Davenport, girl.

Wallace and Dorothy Thorne, boy.

Blease and Esther Kennedy, girl.

Ship Movements

Arrived Yesterday

Transylvania, from Glasgow

Talamanca, from Port Limon.

Arrive Today

Scanpenn, from Copenhagen.

City of Norfolk, from San Francisco.

Santa Barbara, from Valparaiso.

Cristobal, from Cristobal

Borinquen, from Trujillo City.

Ponce, from San Juan.

Orizaba, from Veracruz.

Arrive Tomorrow

Champlain, from Havre.

Oslofjord, from Oslo.

Laconia, from Liverpool.

Ausonia, from Havre.

Veendam, from Rotterdam.

Santa Elena, from Cartagena.

Oriente, from Havana.

Sailed Yesterday

Eisenstein, for Rotterdam.

City of San Francisco, for Cristobal.

Sail Today

Castilla, for Puerto Barrios.

Paul H. Harwood, for Caripito.

Sail Tomorrow

Danio, for Lisbon.

Robin Hood, for Cape Town.

Guayaquil, for Port au Prince.

Kungsholm, for West Indies cruise.

Nova Scotia, for St. Johns.

Woman Dies Here After Arrest; Her Identity Is Sought

Police last night were seeking the identity of a 30-year-old woman who died at the Women's Bureau early yesterday a short time after she was arrested for being intoxicated.

She was taken into custody in the 1400 block N street northwest, by scout car policemen who went to the address in response to a call. They found the woman sitting on a bench.

Transferred to the Women's Bureau, she was stricken with convulsions and a doctor from Casualty Hospital treated her. A second attack seized her about 20 minutes after the doctor left and she was dead when the physician was recalled.

An autopsy performed at the District Morgue disclosed the women died of natural causes.

A checkup was being made last in the vicinity where she was found in an effort to find somebody who knew her. She was described as 5 feet 4 inches tall, weighing 105 pounds. She was wearing a black coat, green wool dress with buttons down the front. She was carrying a black pocketbook. A gold wedding ring on her finger was engraved "F. G. F. to B. W. B., Nov. 26, 1922."

Fall From Ladder Proves Fatal to Worker

Franklin, Va., Dec. 18 (AP).—A fall from a ladder at the plant of the Chesapeake Camp Corporation here, where he was employed, proved fatal to James M. Rucco, 46, last night. He suffered a skull fracture and other injuries.

Rucco had been employed at the plant about a year and a half. He had resided in Franklin about seven years. He was a native of Naples, Italy, and came to this country with his parents when he was 2 years old.

The Weather

Today's Sun and Tide Table

(Furnished by U. S. Department of Commerce, Coast and Geodetic Survey.)

	A.M.	P.M.
Sun rises.....	7:22	
High tide.	6:08	6:33
Sun sets.....		4:48
Low tide.	0:35	12:51

Weather Conditions

U. S. Dept. Agriculture—Weather Bureau, Washington, Sunday, Dec. 18—7:30 P. M.

Forecast for District of Columbia—Generally fair Monday; Tuesday fair; not much change in temperature; gentle winds, mostly northwest.

For Maryland and Virginia—Partly cloudy Monday; Tuesday fair; not much change in temperature.

The Atlantic disturbance continues to move northeastward and covers a wide area between Bermuda and southern Newfoundland, with lowest pressure about 1,000 inches a short distance northeast of Sable Island, N. S. Pressure is low over southern Greenland, Julianehaab, 29.44 inches, and over Alaska, Kodiak, 28.90 inches, while a disturbance is moving southeastward over northern Manitoba, the Pas, 29.78 inches, with a trough extending southward over the western portion of the Plains States. Pressure continues relatively low over California, Fresno, 29.86 inches. Pressure is high over much of the Provinces of Quebec and Ontario, White River, Ont., 30.28 inches, and from the upper Mississippi Valley southward over the West Gulf States, La Cross, Wisc., 30.24 inches, and Palestine, Texas, 30.22 inches. Pressure is high over portions of the Rocky Mountain region and British Columbia, Kamloops, B. C., 30.34 inches. During the last 24 hours there has been some light precipitation in the Middle and North Atlantic States, the Lake region, the lower Mississippi Valley, and the far Southwest. Temperature changes have been slight.

Local Weather Report

Temperature—Midnight, 38; 2 a. m., 39; 4 a. m., 40; 6 a. m., 40; 8 a. m., 40; 10 a. m., 39; 12 noon, 40; 2 p. m., 40; 4 p. m., 42; 6 p. m., 40; 8 p. m., 39; 10 p. m., 38.

Relative humidity—7:30 a. m., 71; 1:30 p. m., 62; 7:30 p. m., 74. Rainfall, 7:30 p. m., trace. Hours of sunshine, none.

Departures From Normal

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1938, 956 degrees.

Excess in temperature since December 1, 1938, 58 degrees.

Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1938, 6.58 inches.

Deficiency of precipitation since December 1, 1938, 0.16 inch.

Temperatures and Precipitation

Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ended 7:30 p. m.:

	Highest	Sun.	Lowest night.	Sun. p.m.	Precip. fall.
Washington, D. C.	52	38	36	....	....
Asheville, N. C.	50	38	40	....	....
Atlanta, Ga.	52	38	46	....	....
Atlantic City, N. J.	42	40	38	....	....
Baltimore, Md.	46	38	40	....	....
Birmingham, Ala.	52	44	40	....	....
Bismarck, N. Dak.	40	14	32	....	....
Boston, Mass.	40	36	34	....	0.01
Buffalo, N. Y.	32	28	30	....	....
Cheyenne, Wyo.	34	10	24	....	....
Chicago, Ill.	36	32	32	....	....
Cincinnati, Ohio.	42	20	34	....	....
Cleveland, Ohio	32	30	28	....	....
Dallas, Tex.	60	30	54	....	....
Davenport, Iowa	34	24	28	....	....
Denver, Colo.	36	16	32	....	....
Des Moines, Iowa	30	26	28	....	....
Detroit, Mich.	26	24	24	....	....
Duluth, Minn.	24	20	22	....	....
El Paso, Tex.	56	36	38	....	....
Galveston, Tex.	60	48	58	....	....
Helena, Mont.	34	20	28	....	....
Huron, S. Dak.	30	18	24	....	....
Indianapolis, Ind.	38	30	34	....	....
Jacksonville, Fla.	70	38	56	....	....
Kansas City, Mo.	46	26	38	....	....
Little Rock, Ark.	48	30	38	....	....
Los Angeles, Calif.	62	54	58	....	1.92
Louisville, Ky.	40	34	36	....	....
Marquette, Mich.	24	16	20	....	....
Memphis, Tenn.	48	32	46	....	....
Miami, Fla.	72	52	62	....	....
Mpls.-St. P., Minn.	26	18	22	....	....
Mobile, Ala.	60	50	54	....	0.15
New Orleans, La.	56	54	52	....	0.18
New York, N. Y.	38	36	34	....	....
North Platte, Nebr.	44	16	34	....	....
Omaha, Nebr.	36	24	30	....	....
Philadelphia, Pa.	40	38	38	....	....
Phoenix, Ariz.	68	48	62	....	....
Pittsburgh, Pa.	36	30	28	....	....
Portland, Me.	38	32	34	....	0.04
Portland, Oreg.	48	34	38	....	....
Rapid City, S. Dak.	44	22	36	....	....
St. Louis, Mo.	46	26	40	....	....
Salt Lake City, Utah.	42	26	40	....	....
San Antonio, Tex.	66	40	58	....	....
San Diego, Calif.	64	58	62	....	0.14
San Francisco, Calif.	56	54	56	....	0.10
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	44	24	36	....	....
Savannah, Ga.	58	36	50	....	....
Seattle, Wash.	42	34	42	....	....
Springfield, Ill.	38	24	32	....	....
Tampa, Fla.	68	48	62	....	....
Vicksburg, Miss.	52	42	46	....	0.81

What's Going On And Where

Luncheons

Alpha Delta Phi, Women's City Club, 12:30.

Atlantic Coast Independent Distributors, Suite 237, Mayflower Hotel, 1 p. m.

Newcomers' Club, Carlton Hotel, 12:30.

Meetings

Washington Air Mail Society, Hotel Lafayette, 8 p. m.

Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Lincoln Camp, Parlor G, Willard Hotel, 8 p. m.

Knights of Columbus, Fourth Degree, Chinese Room, Mayflower Hotel, 8 p. m.

National Aeronautic Association, Garden, Mayflower Hotel, 10 a. m.

National Symphony Orchestra, North Room, Mayflower Hotel, 9:30 a. m.

Citizens' Associations

Interfederation Conference, United States Chamber of Commerce, 8 p. m.

Lincoln Park, Bryan School, 8 p. m.

Sixteenth Street Heights, A. R. Shepherd School, 8 p. m.

Society of Natives, Washington Club, 8 p. m.

Dinners

Jacobi Medical Society, Hotel Hamilton, 6:30 p. m.

500 Club, Hotel Hamilton, 6 p. m.; cards, 6:30 p. m.

Graphic Arts Society, Christmas party, Garden, Mayflower Hotel, 7 p. m.

Post Mortem Club, Carlton Hotel, 8 p. m.

Richardson, Naval Hero in Nicaragua, To Be Buried Today

Final rites will be held today for Commander William N. Richardson, jr., U. S. Navy, retired, holder of four decorations and a hero of the Nicaraguan insurrection. Richardson died here Thursday. Capt. Robert D. Workman, Chaplain Corps, U. S. Navy, will officiate at services to be held in Arlington Cemetery at 3 p. m.

Commander Richardson won the Mexican Service Medal, Haitian Campaign Medal and Victory Medal and Destroyer Clasp for services in the World War, and the Navy Cross "for distinguished service" in landing a detachment in Nicaragua in 1927 during the insurrection there.

Active on the sea for 17 years, Commander Richardson was chief officer of the U. S. S. Mayrant in the World War. He also commanded the Goldsborough and the Sacramento. Between 1921 and 1924 he was on duty at the Naval Academy. He completed the course at the Naval War College in 1932.

Wrecked Plane Found In Sea Near Honolulu

Honolulu, T. H., Dec. 18 (U.P.).—The wreckage of an airplane, apparently a civilian biplane, was found partially buried in the ocean sand 20 feet beneath the water 35 miles northwest of Honolulu today.

A Filipino fisherman who was diving to recover his nets found the wreckage and directed a United States Navy crash boat to the scene.

It was decided to return to the spot tomorrow with a salvage boat to remove the wreckage and attempt to identify it.

DIED.

ACREE, VERNON D. On Friday, December 16, 1938, at Oteen, N. C., VERNON D. ACREE, the beloved husband of Elizabeth Penny Acree and father of Vernon, Peggy, William, Robert and Marie Elizabeth Acree. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., until Tuesday, December 20, at 1:30 p. m., thence to Fort Myer Chapel, Fort Myer, Va., where services will be held at 2 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

BAILEY, COL. EDWARD S. On Sunday, December 18, 1938, at Walter Reed Hospital, COL. EDWARD S. BAILEY, beloved husband of Mrs. Helen W. Bailey and father of E. Wells Bailey and Mrs. Millicent B. Keller. Notice of funeral later.

BARRICK, HARRY LEONARD. On Friday, December 16, 1938, at Mount Alto Hospital, HARRY LEONARD BARRICK, beloved husband of Syrena Barrick, and father of Mrs. Margaret M. Baldwin and Mrs. Frances J. Drake, of Miamisburg, Md. Funeral services at the W. W. Chamber's Co. southeast funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Tuesday, December 20, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Dominic's Catholic Church, 6th and E sts. sw., where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

BARNES, GEORGE. Suddenly, on Saturday, December 17, 1938, GEORGE BARNES, beloved son of Charles A. and the late Ellen Barnes, and brother of Charles E. and Joseph Barnes. Funeral from Ft. Costello Chapel, Ft. Totten, N. Y., 1722 North Capitol st., on Tuesday, December 20, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Aloysius Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

BLANDFORD, ALEXANDER HILL. On Friday, December 16, 1938, at his residence, 12 Seaton pl. ne., ALEXANDER HILL BLANDFORD, beloved husband of Anna M. Blandford (nee Cain), father of Hamilton H., Samuel M. and Joseph A. Blandford, Mrs. Edna E. Dant and Mrs. Dolores Savage. Funeral from the residence of Mrs. Dolores Savage, 14 Seaton pl. ne., on Monday, December 19, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Martin's Catholic Church, North Capitol and T sts., where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment in St. Ignatius Cemetery, Oxon Hill, Md. Services by the W. W. Chambers Co.

BURGESS, LOUIS H. On Saturday, December 17, 1938, at Walter Reed General Hospital, Col. LOUIS H. BURGESS, U. S. A., retired, beloved husband of Florence D. Burgess. Body resting at the Ft. Myer funeral home, 3117 Fa. ave. se., until Tuesday, December 20, when services will be held at 3 p. m., in the Chapel at Fort Myer, Va., followed by interment in Arlington National Cemetery.

CAMPBELL, ERIE HENRY. On Sunday, December 18, 1938, at his residence, 1504 33d st. nw., ERIE HENRY CAMPBELL, the beloved son of Martha V. Campbell and the late James Campbell and brother of William P. Campbell, Mrs. Catherine Beavers, Mrs. Olivia Hunt, Mrs. Annie Burdett and Mrs. Mamie Hazel. Remains resting at the above residence. Notice of funeral later. Services by the W. W. Chambers Co.

CAMPBELL, MARY FRANCES. On Sunday, December 18, 1938, at the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, MARY FRANCES CAMPBELL, widow of James D. Campbell. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Tuesday, December 20, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

CHEOW, MOON DER. On Saturday, December 17, 1938, at Casualty Hospital, MOON DER CHEOW, the beloved husband of Quon Shee. Funeral services will be held in the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Tuesday, December 20, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

COLMAN, LEE. On Saturday, December 17, 1938, LEE COLMAN, the beloved wife of Wilbur Colman and mother of Evelyn Colman. Funeral from her late residence, 3419 Kansas ave. nw., on Monday, December 19, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Hebrew Friendship Cemetery, Baltimore, Md.

DALE, THOMAS MAY, SR. Suddenly, on Friday, December 16, 1938, at Statesville, N. C., THOMAS MAY DALE, SR., beloved husband of Minnie E. Dale; father of Thomas M. Dale, jr., Samuel A. Dale and Mrs. Mary Sue Lamont. Funeral services at his late residence, 305 Rhode Island ave. ne., on Monday, December 19, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery. Services by W. W. Chambers Co.

DOFFERMYRE, WILLIAM H. On Saturday, December 17, 1938, at Emergency Hospital, WILLIAM H. DOFFERMYRE, beloved husband of Byrdie W. Doffermyre (nee Weaver), and father of Wayland B. Doffermyre, Louise D. Goubeau and Lorraine E. Doffermyre. Remains resting at his late residence, 244½ 12th st. se., until Tuesday, December 20, at 11 a. m. Funeral from the James T. Ryan funeral home, 317 Fa. ave. se., on Tuesday, December 20, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

GUILFORD, ERIE HENRY. On Sunday, December 18, 1938, at his residence, 1504 33d st. nw., ERIE HENRY CAMPBELL, the beloved son of Martha V. Campbell and the late James Campbell and brother of William P. Campbell, Mrs. Catherine Beavers, Mrs. Olivia Hunt, Mrs. Annie Burdett and Mrs. Mamie Hazel. Remains resting at the above residence. Notice of funeral later. Services by the W. W. Chambers Co.

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Post Classified Ads—National 4200.

YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICE GUIDE

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TOYS Hardware, Xmas trees, California spruce. Stevens Service Stores, 2753-59 Nichols ave. se. LI. 4337.

50c RADIO SERVICE. 90 Days Guarantee. Tubes 29c up. FOGLEMAN'S. ATlantic 1677.

UPTOWN

Uptown Radio Ser.—WO. 9719

Lost and Found 1

You can phone your "Lost and Found" ads to The Post until 11 p. m. for insertion the following morning. For the Sunday Post, Saturday, 4 p. m. ("Found" ads are published free.)

BOSTON BULL, male, white chest and front legs, black spot in white blaze on forehead. Strayed Sunday from Mount Pleasant home. Phone NOrth 8429 or WAD. 1768. Reward.

FALSE TEETH—Found at 3d and C sts. se. Owner please call LIn. 4537.

LOST—Physician's bag; initials F. C. S. on bag. Phone NOrth 8011. Liberal reward.

PAIR glasses found on F st. Saturday. Call NA. 6850, Extension 115.

Personals 3

BETTER Health Studio—Colds and chronic pains treated. Trained nurse. PO. 4721.

CHRISTMAS packages artistically wrapped, local delivery cards addressed in your home. Woodley 2893 evenings and Sun.

DENTAL PLATES REPAIRED "while you wait." Mod. Dental Laboratories, Rm. 502, Westory Bldg., 14th & F st. nw. NA. 0773.

FALSE TEETH REPAIRS while U wait. Emergency Laboratories, 605 14th st. nw., Room 902. ME. 1833.

HEMORRHOIDS (piles) eradicated by my own methods; results effective for a lifetime or money back. Write for booklet. No drugs or surgery. DR. SOMMERWERCK, 1365 Columbia rd. AD. 0388.

NATIONALLY-KNOWN writer will construct, revise, rewrite your story or article in correct form for publication. No charge for reading manuscript. See or write to Manuscript Editor, THE NATIONAL FORUM, 519 Colorado Bldg., Washington.

PRACTICAL NURSE—Care of invalids and children. Day or night. DUp. 3268.

WE BUY men's clothing, radios, typewriters, jewelry, cameras, etc. 1201 N. J. ave. nw. ME. 6605.

Motor Travel 10

WASH. AUTO TRAVEL SERVICE—1130 14th st. nw. Private cars Fla., Tex., Calif., all points. Share exp. NA. 3705.

Help—Female 11

Women—If you don't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situations Wanted" Ad in The Post. A 3-line ad costs only 19 cents.

GIRLS (Italian preferred)—Only those with hand plant experience in general sewing need apply. Good pay, steady work for those qualifying. 1016 9th st. nw., 8 a. m. Monday.

HOUSEKEEPER, white, care home and two children. For employed couple. Live in. $35 month. EM. 1083.

HOUSEWORK—Colored girl over 21. Call Randolph 0846.

LADIES, we are headquarters for women who wish to make living by selling privately. Our lines include hosiery, Hoovers, lingerie, men's wear, etc. Liberal percentage. No money needed. Apply 715 9th st. nw.

Help—Male 12

Men—If you don't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situations Wanted" Ad in The Post. A 3-line ad costs only 19 cents.

AGENTS, OPERATORS, CANVASSERS—We have over 2,000 fast selling articles; notions, razor blades, cosmetics, Christmas cards. Lowest prices. Naiman Sales Co., 1011 7th st. nw.

BARBER wanted, Fri. afternoon and Sat.; giar. and comm. 2044 R. I. ave. ne.

BARBER wanted; experienced; $15 guaranteed and commission. 5 H st. nw.

BARBER wanted; American; first-class workman; steady job. 936 N. Y. ave. nw.

BARBER, high-class, guarantee and commission; this week only. 3321 Conn. ave. WO. 9834.

BARBER wanted; must be sober; good workman; $20 week guarantee. Yates Barber Shop, 1431 F st. nw.

BOOTBLACKS (3); good pay and tips. 1733 Pa. ave. nw.

MAN—White; carpenter, plumber, painter preferred; may earn room, part-time work; must have good room and board; $4.75 weekly. Co-operative Club, 1607 Eye st. nw.

MAN AND WIFE to run coffee agency; up to $45 first week; automobile given as bonus. Write Albert Mills, 3143 Monmouth, Cincinnati, Ohio.

MEN—Three needed to complete force. Piece work. Rates to qualified men. Apply 513 K st. nw.

MEN, three, 21-35, for annual sale large apparel company; permanent if qualified. Earnings about $25 a week. Rm. 210, 1427 Eye st. nw., 9:30-12:30.

TEACHER, college graduate, experienced, for advanced dictation classes, 3 evenings a week; knowledge of Gregg Shorthand, preferably actual reporting experience. State full qualifications. Box 114, Washington Post.

DRY CLEANER (colored); must be experienced in operating dry cleaning room, handling large volume; steady work and good pay. Monday, 1016 9th st. nw.

WANTED counterman, single, experienced; bring references. Apply Hyatt's Restaurant, 1252 4th st. ne.

Men of Good Character

21 years of age or over, residing in Washington at least one year, to join FREE class for identification card. Apply 8:30 a. m. See MR. CRUZE.

BELL CAB CO., 1317 L N.W.
ME. 1727.

SALESMAN

Not over 35 with specialty selling training. New exclusive product. Man selected will be on a permanent basis and have opportunity to work into a real position. Apply Monday, 10 to 2 p. m., for personal interview with factory representative.

GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER CO.
1300 Connecticut Ave.

Employment Agencies 14

RUPHER'S Employment Agency can furnish colored domestic help; ref. DE. 3551.

LADIES' EXCHANGE.
Established 1893. Formerly of 807 Vermont ave., now at 1705 De Sales st. nw.

Situations—Female 16

DICTAPHONE op.-steno., clerk, desires position, 10 years' experience. DU. 1710.

WOMAN, white, wants sewing; curtains, draperies, couch covers; coats relined, alterations. COl. 7018.

YOUNG LADY—B. S. degree in nutrition; local experience and references in experimental cooking. Box M-295, Wash. Post.

COLORED GIRL desires job as nurse or mother's helper. Stay nights. RE. 0556.

GIRL, colored; cook; go home nights; small laundry. DU. 8073.

COLORED girl, Southern, general housework, maid; good references. DEc. 2528.

COLORED woman wants days work or part time; references. DEc. 4435-M.

COOK, colored, exp., g. h. w.; in small family; refs. DU. 1249.

RELIABLE colored girl. Day's work, laundry, cooking, cleaning; ref. Mich. 6973.

Situations—Male 17

ACCOUNTANT, small sets of books kept in evenings. Financial statements. Tax returns. Charge reas. SHepherd 1884.

BOOKKEEPER, thoroughly experienced, accountancy education, age 36, desires responsible job. LIncoln 0185-W.

CARETAKER for country place; experienced; best reference; moderate salary. Box 112, Washington Post.

DIESEL MECHANIC desires position on portable and stationary equip. Reply to 24 Spa st., Cottage City, Md.

Instructions 19

BE a telephone operator-receptionist; brief training course. Miss West, PERSONNEL SERVICE, 1311 G st. nw. NA. 2114.

LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE.
WARFLYNN BEAUTY COLLEGE,
1018 Vermont Ave. DI. 1762.

SHORTHAND, touch typing, bookkeeping, spelling, let. writ., calculating mach. Position. BOYD SCHOOL, 1333 F. NA. 2340.

Money-to-Loan 26

CHATTEL and second trust notes purchased; 1-day service. 907 Tower Bldg. MEt. 4814.

ON diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, etc., no ad'l arrangements necss.; lowest int. rates. Rosslyn Loan Co., Rosslyn, Va.

Real Estate Loans 27

MONEY AVAILABLE at prevailing rates for first mortgage loans. Louis P. Shoemaker, 1719 K st. nw. NA. 1166.

LOANS TO HOME OWNERS.
No delay. Low rates. Easy terms. We also purchase collateral and indorsed notes. SECURITY FINANCE CORPORATION, 838 Investment Bldg. District 8672.

Automobile Loans 28

AUTO LOANS, $200 TO $800.
NOLAN FINANCE CO.
738 13TH ST. N.W. RE. 1200.

Rooms—Furnished 30

A ST. NE., 641—Attractive large front l. h. k. room; gas, light, heat, linens, cooking utensils, etc., furnished; reasonable.

A NE., 318—Desirable 2d floor room, next bath, c. h. w., $4 per week.

ARLINGTON, 1901 N. 16th st.—Comfort. rm.; couple or adults; reas. CH. 4739.

ALTURAS, 1509 16th st. nw.—Comfortable rms., nr. showers; fireproof bldg.; daily maid and 24-hr. elev. serv.; $4 wk. up.

ARIZONA HOTEL (310 C st. nw., 1 square off Pa. ave.)—Neatly furn. rooms; lobby; plenty baths, showers and hot water; $3.50 wk. up; transients, 50c and 75c.

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HEY - HOW MUCH LONGER DO I HAVE TO STAND HERE?
THAT'S THE EIGHTH CAR THAT'S GONE BY - I GOTTA FIGURE OUT SOME WAY TO GET HOME!
FAINT HEART NEVER WON FAIR FOO

WINNIE WINKLE — Right the First Time — BY BRANNER

WHAT A MIXUP! WINNIE, POSING AS A SINGLE GIRL, IS WORKING AT THE SOFA SPRINGS HOTEL - AND HER BOSS HAS DECLARED HIS LOVE FOR HER - TO BILL
GOOD MORNING, BILL!
OH! HELLO, MISS KONKIN!
MISS KONKIN? WHY ALL THE FORMALITY? I'M KAY - THE SAME GIRL YOU TOOK TO DINNER ONE EVENING AT THE HOTEL! REMEMBER?
BILL, WHAT'S THE TROUBLE? YOU SEEM AWFULLY DEJECTED!
WHO - ME? NO - I-I'M JUST TRYING TO FIGURE OUT A PROBLEM!
IT HASN'T ANYTHING TO DO WITH ENGINEERING, EITHER - HAS IT?

MR. AND MRS. — Men Are Like That — BY ARTHUR FOLWELL AND ELLISON HOOVER

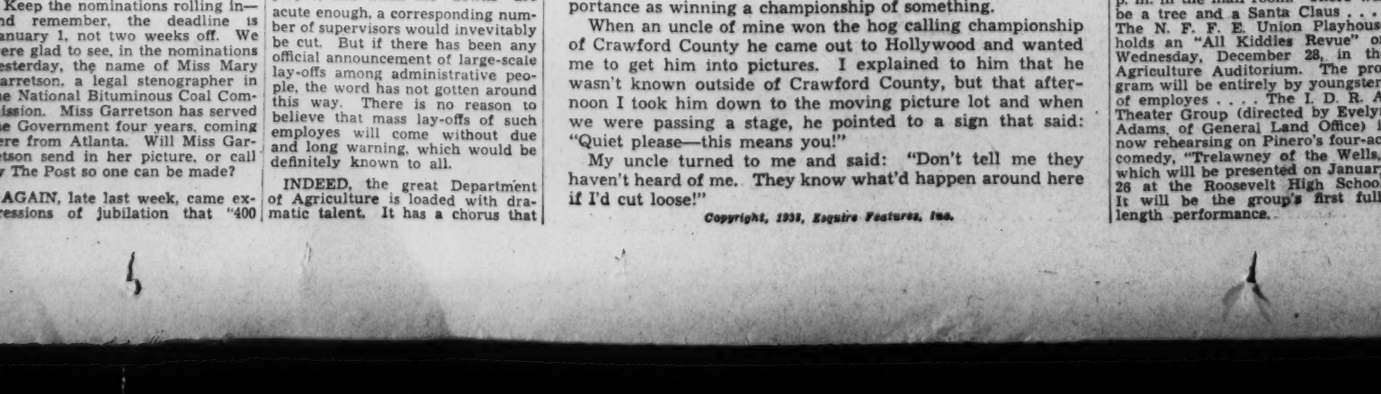
WHY THE DICKENS CAN'T WE HAVE HOT PLATES IN THIS HOUSE?
WELL, I TRY TO HAVE THEM HOT
WHERE I EAT OUT, DURING THE WEEK, THEY ALWAYS HAVE HOT PLATES
THEN I SHOULD THINK YOU'D STAY OUT AND EAT
NOW, BE CAREFUL — THESE PLATES ARE HOT!
OKAY OKAY
GE-E-E-E-E-E! WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL ME THOSE PLATES WERE HOT!

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — BY CLIFFORD McBRIDE

JOE PALOOKA — Ann Don't Reelize — BY HAM FISHER

BENNY — These Little Birds Won't Tell — BY J. CARVER PUSEY

I JIST SAW ANN - I TOLE 'ER ABOUT THE RESTRUNT IDEE -
GOOD - AN' NOW LISSEN - I GOT TH' SPOT! IT'S PERFICT! RIGHT AT TH' CO'NER OF -
BUT SHE SAYS SHE DON'T THINK IT'S A GOOD IDEE. SHE SAYS WHILE I'M SO UNPOP'LAR -
BROADWAY AN' FORTY-EIGHTH. IZZAT TH NERTS? RIGHT ON TH MAIN STEM!
BUT -
LOOK ANN'S A GREAT GAL - BUT DAME'S DON'T KNOW NOTHIN' ABOUT BIZNESS, KID - THAT'S A MAN'S JOB -
- AN' BESIDES I'VE TOOK A OPTION. WOULD YA WANT ME T'LOSE A LOTTA DOUGH NOW - WOULD YA LET YER PAL DOWN - YA CAN'T KID - ANN DON'T REELIZE.
I - I S'POSE NOT. I'LL ESPLAIN TO 'ER.



PRIVATE LIVES — By Edwin Cox

STALIN,
HATER OF BOURGEOIS SYMBOLS, MAY LIVE IN A PALACE AND BOAST A FLEET OF COSTLY CARS, — BUT HE PRIDES HIMSELF ON NOT OWNING A NECKTIE!
SAM GOLDWYN, FIVE FEET NINE OF SARTORIAL SPLENDOR, FLITS AROUND HOLLYWOOD WITHOUT A DIME IN HIS POCKET
— BECAUSE MONEY SPOILS THE FIT OF HIS CLOTHES!
WHO CALLED IT A DEPRESSION?
WHEN MRS. CORNELIUS VANDERBILT SR. GOES TO THE OPERA ON A RAINY NIGHT, TWO FOOTMEN ROLL DOWN A RUG FOR HER FROM HER FIFTH AVENUE DOOR TO THE CURB.

Contract Bridge

By Florence Osborn.

Solitaire is the favorite "avocation" of most bridge players. When a fourth is missing and Towie, three handed bridge, is ruled out and no one wants to play backgammon, solitaire is the filler-in. Before and after rubber bridge, while waiting for tournament scores, or when whiling away moments until that slow player makes a bid, solitaire is the contract players' favorite time-killer.

Today's Hand

Neither Side Vulnerable
WEST DEALER

	Miss Wain ♠ A9653 ♡ AKQ ◇ None ♣ 87543	
Miss Venuta ♠ 2 ♡ 10987 5 ◇ None ♣ AKQ J1096	WEST NORTH EAST SOUTH	Warnow ♠ KQJ 10874 ♡ J3 ◇ 9853 ♣ None
	Ross ♠ None ♡ 642 ◇ AKQJ107642 ♣ 2	

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
1 ♡	1 ♠	Dbl.	1 NT.
Dbl.	2 ♣	2 ♠	Pass
Pass	Dbl.	Pass	Pass
3 ♣	Dbl.	3 ♡	Pass
Pass	Dbl.	Pass	6 ◇
Pass	Pass	Dbl.	Redbl.
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: K ♣

There is not much time at a broadcasting studio for solitaire, but many of the performers play a good fast game of bridge between programs. Since there is little thought given to either bidding or play, the results are sometimes startling, but always amusing.

A hand we watched the other day, played by Benay Venuta, Mark Warnow, Lanny Ross and Bea Wain, brought out a wierd series of bids. The auction was so lengthy and so involved, there was no time to play out the hand; however, the small slam contract in diamonds was conceded by the defense.

Miss Venuta's opening heart bid was a semi-psychic designed to obtain a double in a low club contract or possibly to produce a slam if she could find her partner with strong heart support.

Miss Wain's spade overcall, not surprisingly, met with an enthusiastic double from Warnow. Lanny Ross bid one no trump to be in the spirit of things and to find out who was the joker before he leaped out with his diamonds.

Miss Venuta, on lead with seven club tricks, could hardly be criticized for doubling one no trump. Miss Wain rescued with two clubs, and Warnow, a bit prematurely perhaps, bid two spades to tell his partner he could play the suit unassisted. Ross passed waiting developments, and Miss Venuta, a little confused but not without hope that North would rebid clubs, also decided to pass.

Outraged by this insult to her bid, Miss Wain doubled. Miss Venuta could not afford to let the double stand and so came out into the open with a bid of three clubs. After passing Warnow's rescue of three hearts and having his partner again double, Ross could no longer resist temptation and he leaped to six diamonds. The subsequent double and redouble can only be justified in the light of the previous extraordinary bidding.

The king of clubs was led and taken; the rest of the hand was spread for six.

Australia Building Gains

Building permits issued in Melbourne and Sydney, Australia, in February, 1938, totaled $1,760,000, or nearly 50 per cent more than the corresponding month of 1937.

Odds on Centenarians

Odds against a man in Australia living to 100 are slightly more than 2,000 to 1, while those of women are 1,500 to 1, according to official figures recently made public.

Today's Radio Highlights

Sir Walter Scott and his eighteenth century poems and novels feature today's "Adventures in Reading" program—WMAL, 2 p. m.

Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes and Prof. William F. Ogburn are interviewed by Ruth Brine, radio commentator, on a recent report—"Machines and Tomorrow's World"—of the Technology Subcommittee of the National Resources Committee—WJSV, 2:30 p. m.

Gladys Swarthout, Metropolitan Opera star, is guest artist of Eddie Cantor's "Caravan" show—WJSV, 7:30 p. m.

Richard Crooks, with symphony orchestra under the direction of Alfred Wallenstein, sings: "Star of Bethlehem," by Adams; Tschaikowsky's "Legend of the Christ Child;" and "Ah fuyez," from Massenet's "Manon"—WRC, 8:30 p. m.

Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney are "intermission guests" in Radio Theater's dramatization of "Kid Galahad," with Edward G. Robinson, Wayne Morris, Joan Bennett and Andrea Leeds—WJSV, 9 p. m.

Senator Bennett Champ Clark, of Missouri speaks on the subject of "Reason in Armaments"—WMAL, 10:30 p. m.

The Post Radio Time-Table

Monday, December 19 — Washington — Eastern Standard Time.

	WMAL 476M-630KC	WRC 316M-950KC	WOL 229M—1,230KC	WJSV 206M—1,460KC	
6:00		Doll House	Art Brown		6:00
6:15		" "	" "		6:15
6:30	Today's Prelude	" "	News		6:30
6:45	" "	" "	Art Brown		6:45
7:00	" "	" "	" "	Arthur Godfrey	7:00
7:15	" "	" "	" "	" "	7:15
7:30	Station PDS	" "	News	" "	7:30
7:45	Present	" "	Art Brown	" "	7:45
8:00	" "	News	" "	News	8:00
8:15	" "	Doll House	" "	Arthur Godfrey	8:15
8:30	Earl Godwin	" "	News	Magic Carpet	8:30
8:45	Calling All Stars	" "	Art Brown	Arthur Godfrey	8:45
9:00	Interlude	News, Happy Jack	" "	Jean Abbey	9:00
9:15	Breakfast Club	Mary Mason	" "	Arthur Godfrey	9:15
9:30	" "	" "	Waltz Themes	Wom. M. News	9:30
9:45	Gospel Singer	" "	News, Police Flash	Bach. Children	9:45
10:00	Story of Month	Mrs. Wiggs	Schuster	Kitty Kelly	10:00
10:15	Keeping Fit	John's Other Wife	Marttin Players	Myrt and Marge	10:15
10:30	Jerry Sears' Orch.	Just Plain Bill	Traffic Court	Hilltop House	10:30
10:45	Petticoat Luse	Woman in White	Sing. Strings	Stepmother	10:45
11:00	Mary Marlin	David Harum	Freshwater Band	Fact Finder	11:00
11:15	Vic and Sade	Lorenzo Jones	Musical Potpourri	Hits & Encores	11:15
11:30	Vagabonds	Widow Brown	Get This to Music	Big Sister	11:30
11:45	Air Sweetheart	Mus. Workshop	Comm. Calendar	Real Life Stories	11:45
	AFTERNOON PROGRAMS.				
12:00	Dorothy Dreslin	News, Music	Luncheon Music	M. M. McBride	12:00
12:15	News	The O'Neills	News	Nancy James	12:15
12:30	Farm and	Devotions	Happy Hollow	Helen Trent	12:30
12:45	Home Hour	Topical Tunes	Bunch	Our Gal Sunday	12:45
1:00	" "	Vincent Cunan	Happy Gang	Goldbergs	1:00
1:15	News	Let's Talk	This and That	Life, Beautiful	1:15
1:30	Peables	Encores	Tony Wakeman	Road of Life	1:30
1:45	Judy & Lanny	Happy Gilmans	Voice of Exper'nce	Day Is Ours	1:45
2:00	Adventures in	Betty and Bob	Tony Wakeman	Irene Beaseley	2:00
2:15	Reading	Grimm's Daughter	" "	Ed. McConnell	2:15
2:30	Alma Ketchell	Hymns of All C'h'hs	" "	Dr. Ogburn	2:30
2:45	Melodies	Valiant Lady	" "	Chas. W. Eliot	2:45
3:00	Rochester	Mary Marlin	News	Aladdin's	3:00
3:15	Civic	Ma Perkins	Tony Wakeman	Kitchen	3:15
3:30	Orchestra	Pepper's Family	" "	Arch McDonald	3:30
3:45	B'tw'n Bookends	Guiding Light	" "	" "	3:45
4:00	Club Matinee	Backstage Wife	" "	" "	4:00
4:15	" "	Stella Dallas	" "	" "	4:15
4:30	" "	Vic and Sade	" "	" "	4:30
4:45	News	Girl Alone	" "	" "	4:45
5:00	Tune Types	Dick Tracy	Evening Shadows	" "	5:00
5:15	Terry and Pirates	Your Family, Mine	Jimmy Scribner	" "	5:15
5:30	Don Winslow	Jack Armstrong	Cocktail Capers	Tonic Tunes	5:30
5:45	Tom Mix	Little Orphan Annie	Dad & Junior	Ol' Skipper	5:45
	EVENING PROGRAMS.				
6:00	Science on March	News, Music	Sports Resume	News, Music	6:00
6:15	News	Music	Christmas Carols	Howie Wing	6:15
6:30	Intermezzo	Xavier Cugat	Walter Compton	Bob Trout	6:30
6:45	Lowell Thomas	" "	Variety Prog.	Sophie Tucker	6:45
7:00	Alias Jimmy	Amos 'n' Andy	Fulton Lewis, Jr.	Arch McDonald	7:00
7:15	Valentine	HumanSide of News	Barry McKinley	Lum and Abner	7:15
7:30	Right Thing	N. Talent Wanted	Lone Ranger	Eddie Cantor	7:30
7:45	to Do	Sir Willmott Lewis (Wilkins Coffee)*	" "	" "	7:45
8:00	Carson Robinson	Al Pearce and	News, Music	Cavalcade of	8:00
8:15	" "	His Gang	Variety Program	America	8:15
8:30	Those We Love	Richard Crooks	Saint Mary's	Pipe Smoking	8:30
8:45	" "	" "	Novena	Time	8:45
9:00	Anniversary P'ty	Hour of Charm,	Who's Who in	Radio Theater	9:00
9:15	Bored'm by Bud	D. Thompson	Washington	" "	9:15
9:30	Westm'st'r Choir	Eddie Duchin's	Symphony	" "	9:30
9:45	College Concert	Orchestra	Orchestra	" "	9:45
10:00	True or False	Contented Program	Geo. Hamilton's	Lombardo's	10:00
10:15	" "	" "	Orchestra	Orchestra	10:15
10:30	Sen. Bennett	Horace Heidt's	Pageant of	Christmas	10:30
10:45	Champ Clark	Orchestra	Melody	Shoes	10:45
11:00	Lima Conf.	News, Sports	News, Music	News	11:00
11:15	Music	Modern	T. Dorsey's	They	11:15
11:30	As You	Music	Orchestra	Need	11:30
11:45	Desire It	Maestros	Bucher's Orch.	Shoes	11:45
12:00	Night Watchman	Birthday Ball	Kay Keyser's	Paul Kain's	12:00
12:15	" "	" "	Orchestra	Orchestra	12:15
12:30	(To 2 a. m.)	Earl Hines	Jan Garbers'	Clyde McCoy's	12:30
12:45		Orchestra	Orchestra	Orchestra	12:45
1:00		Sign Off	" "	U. S. W. Feast	1:00
1:15			" "	Sign Off	1:15
1:30			Dance Music		1:30
1:45			" "		1:45
2:00			Sign Off		2:00

* Advertisement.

The Federal Diary

By Scott Hart

NOW, in the home stretch of the campaign to find the ideal feminine civil service employe in the District, comes the nomination of an efficient worker in the Interior Department. The nominee is Miss Eleanor Thomaides, who, incidentally, is a Washington girl. An active member of the Interior Department Recreation Association, Miss Thomaides serves the department as a typist. We have pleasure in presenting her picture.

MISS THOMAIDES

Keep the nominations rolling in—and remember, the deadline is January 1, not two weeks off. We were glad to see, in the nominations yesterday, the name of Miss Mary Garretson, a legal stenographer in the National Bituminous Coal Commission. Miss Garretson has served the Government four years, coming here from Atlanta. Will Miss Garretson send in her picture, or call by The Post so one can be made?

AGAIN, late last week, came expressions of jubilation that "400 WPA administrative employes" escaped the ax. These expressions of jubilation were read by many with a growing astonishment—and for this reason: No one in a capacity to speak has ever made any official statement that the ax is hanging too threateningly over administrative employes' heads.

When Aubrey Williams was told of the delight of administrative workers who got their semimonthly checks and found no lay-off letters attached, Williams' office promptly said, in effect: "Well, who said that any mass lay-off was impending?"

Of course, there will be ups and downs among the project employes; and when the "downs" are acute enough, a corresponding number of supervisors would invevitably be cut. But if there has been any official announcement of large-scale lay-offs among administrative people, the word has not gotten around this way. There is no reason to believe that mass lay-offs of such employes will come without due and long warning, which would be definitely known to all.

INDEED, the great Department of Agriculture is loaded with dramatic talent. It has a chorus that never appears without an S. R. O. sign on the door. It has an orchestra, a symphonic choir, and a drama guild. Of all these, only the drama guild chronically needs talent. This state of affairs in the guild draws a caustic comment from Editor Joseph D. Cooper, of the Agriculture Exchange. "We challenge the employes who appear in productions of the Washington Civic Theater, the Pierce Hall Players, the Cue and Curtain Club of G. W. U., and other groups to stay right at home and examine the mushrooms under their own doorstep. Good plays are made by the people who act in them. If we have talented employes in the department, it is their duty to give some measure of return to the department which gives them their daily bread." That's throwing the old whip; and now you guys get up there and pitch!

A democratic fellow is Wage and Hour Administrator Andrews . . . . he eats his lunches in a corner drug store, like all the hired help. . . . The well-liked Forest Service has a learned man exploring the psychological reasons that cause men to set woods on fire—an interesting study . . . . The Agriculture Graduate School (a first-rate institution) plans to offer a series of lectures on personality adjustment, with such learned authorities presiding as Prof. H. A. Overstreet, of the College of the City of New York, and Prof. Goodwin Watson, of Columbia University. The subject matter will range from "Adjustments in Marriage and in Family Relations" to "Adjusting the Whole Personality." The dates are Fridays at 5 p. m., beginning January 6 and ending March 10.

NOTES: The employes of Section Y, Files and Mails, Bureau of Ordnance, Navy Department, will hold a Christmas party Friday at 4:30 p. m. in the mail room. There will be a tree and a Santa Claus . . . . The N. F. F. E. Union Playhouse holds an "All Kiddies Revue" on Wednesday, December 28, in the Agriculture Auditorium. The program will be entirely by youngsters of employes . . . . The I. D. R. A. Theater Group (directed by Evelyn Adams, of General Land Office) is now rehearsing on Pinero's four-act comedy, "Trelawney of the Wells," which will be presented on January 26 at the Roosevelt High School. It will be the group's first full-length performance.

Bob Burns Says—

There's nothing that gives a person such a feeling of importance as winning a championship of something.

When an uncle of mine won the hog calling championship of Crawford County he came out to Hollywood and wanted me to get him into pictures. I explained to him that he wasn't known outside of Crawford County, but that afternoon I took him down to the moving picture lot and when we were passing a stage, he pointed to a sign that said: "Quiet please—this means you!"

My uncle turned to me and said: "Don't tell me they haven't heard of me. They know what'd happen around here if I'd cut loose!"

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The Timid Soul

TERRY AND THE PIRATES — Listen to Terry and the Pirates—5:15 P. M.—WMAL — BY MILTON CANIFF

PAT! I WENT TO THE FIELD SUPERINTENDENT! —HE THOUGHT I WAS FROM DE PLEXUS' OFFICE —AND TOLD ME THE BARON TOOK OFF FOR HIS PLANTATION IN FRENCH INDO-CHINA!
GOOD!—THE BARON MUST HAVE BEEN FUSSED! SO HE'S GOING DIRECTLY TO HIS PLACE...?
INTERESTING! LOOK AT THIS MAP... THE REGULAR PASSENGER PLANE GOES INLAND ONLY AS FAR AS HANOI, FRENCH INDO-CHINA...
THE COUNTRY FROM HANOI TO THE CHINA BORDER IS PRACTICALLY IMPASSABLE MOUNTAIN AND JUNGLE LAND... —NAVIGATION ON THE RED RIVER IS BARELY POSSIBLE...
...WE CHANGE TO A TRAIN AT HANOI — BUT THE BARON FLEW IN HIS OWN PLANE DIRECTLY TO HIS DIGGINGS IN THE MOUNTAIN AREA! VERY INTERESTING!
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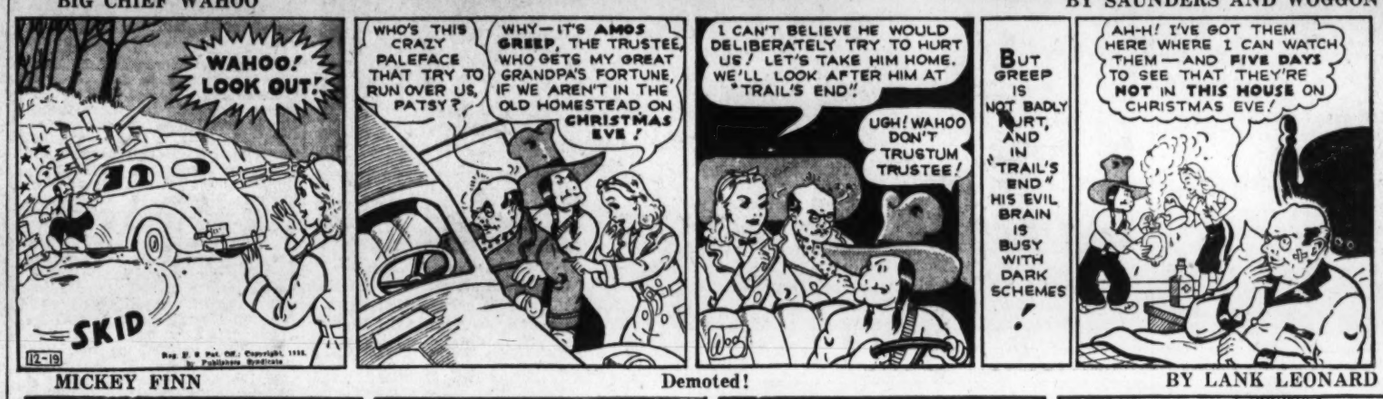
BIG CHIEF WAHOO — BY SAUNDERS AND WOGGON


WAHOO! LOOK OUT!
SKID
12-19
WHO'S THIS CRAZY PALEFACE THAT TRY TO RUN OVER US, PATSY?
WHY—IT'S AMOS GREEP, THE TRUSTEE, WHO GETS MY GREAT GRANDPA'S FORTUNE, IF WE AREN'T IN THE OLD HOMESTEAD ON CHRISTMAS EVE!
I CAN'T BELIEVE HE WOULD DELIBERATELY TRY TO HURT US! LET'S TAKE HIM HOME. WE'LL LOOK AFTER HIM AT "TRAIL'S END"!
UGH! WAHOO DON'T TRUSTUM TRUSTEE!
BUT GREEP IS NOT BADLY HURT, AND IN "TRAIL'S END" HIS EVIL BRAIN IS BUSY WITH DARK SCHEMES!
AH-H! I'VE GOT THEM HERE WHERE I CAN WATCH THEM — AND FIVE DAYS TO SEE THAT THEY'RE NOT IN THIS HOUSE ON CHRISTMAS EVE!

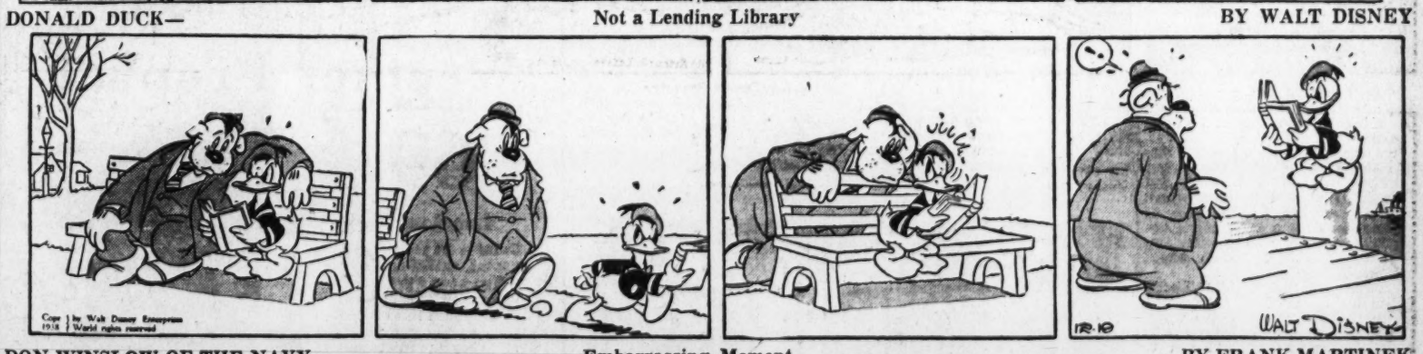
MICKEY FINN — Demoted! — BY LANK LEONARD

SO PHILIP REALLY HAS HIS FRIENDS HELPING FIX THE OLD TOYS THAT THE DEPARTMENT HAS COLLECTED FOR POOR CHILDREN?
THAT'S RIGHT, MA! AS SOON AS I TOLD HIM HE'D BE THEIR BOSS HE WENT DOWN TO CLANCY'S AND ROUNDED 'EM UP!
DON'T BE LOAFIN' ON THE JOB, HOULIHAN—THIS STUFF HASTA BE FIXED UP BY CHRISTMAS!
LISTEN, COMMISSIONER, WE'RE WILLING TO HELP WITH THIS WORK, BUT THERE'S SOMETHING YOU'VE GOT TO DO!
WHAT'S THAT?
PAINT THIS ONE BLUE!
OKAY!
BUY XMAS SEALS

DIXIE DUGAN — Putting on the Ritz — J. P. McEVOY AND H. J. STRIBEL

GOLLY—! NEXT SUNDAY IS CHRISTMAS!
I'VE GOT SO MANY THINGS TO GET! —I WONDER IF MICKEY'LL LET ME USE HER CAR?
OH SURE, DIXIE! I'LL SEND IT RIGHT OVER WITH OUR CHAUFFEUR.
DON'T TELL ME YOU'VE GOT A CHAUFFEUR?
YES—AND WAIT'LL YOU SEE HIM! HE'S TH'CUTEST THING!

DONALD DUCK— Not a Lending Library — BY WALT DISNEY



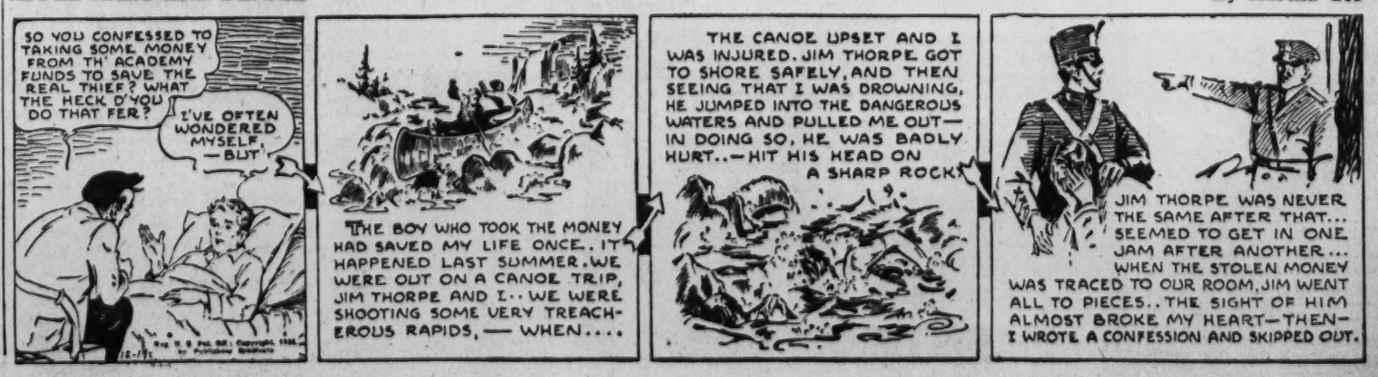
DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY — Embarrassing Moment — BY FRANK MARTINEK

SURE, WINSLOW- YOU CAN LOOK AT THE SCRIPTS OF REGGIRT'S CRIME TALKS... THEY'RE IN HIS FILES...
HE'S SUCH A PROMINENT CHARACTER THAT L.B.C. LETS HIM USE THIS LITTLE PRIVATE OFFICE IN THE CONTINUITY DEPARTMENT—
STRANGE THIS KEY DOESN'T— WHY, SAY! HE'S CHANGED THE LOCK ON THIS FILING CABINET!
OH! OH! THINK UP A GOOD EXCUSE, BOYS... HERE COMES REGGIRT NOW—
12-19

NED BRANT—A Story of College Athletics — BY BOB ZUPPKE

12-19
THE NEXT AND FINAL EVENT IS THE SKI JUMP—SCORE OF THE ANNUAL WINTER SPORTS MEET STANDS AT 54 POINTS FOR COLERAINE AND 54 POINTS FOR CARTER
YOUR BEST IS ALL WE ASK, WOLF
I'LL TRY TO SHOW YOU HOW MUCH I APPRECIATE THIS CHANCE, COACH
YOUR CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP WILL BE SAFE WITH THAT INDIAN REPRESENTING CARTER, CHRIS
ALL HE KNOWS ABOUT SKIING IS WHAT HE LEARNED PRACTICING SECRETLY AT NIGHT
I THINK I'VE BEEN JUMPING ABOUT 100 FEET—NOBODY WAS THERE TO MEASURE IT
NOT GOOD ENOUGH—MY CHAMPIONSHIP RECORD IS 134 FEET

APPLE MARY AND DENNIE — By Martha Orr


SO YOU CONFESSED TO TAKING SOME MONEY FROM TH' ACADEMY FUNDS TO SAVE THE REAL THIEF? WHAT THE HECK D'YOU DO THAT FER?
I'VE OFTEN WONDERED MYSELF, —BUT
THE BOY WHO TOOK THE MONEY HAD SAVED MY LIFE ONCE. IT HAPPENED LAST SUMMER. WE WERE OUT ON A CANOE TRIP, JIM THORPE AND I.. WE WERE SHOOTING SOME VERY TREACHEROUS RAPIDS, — WHEN....
THE CANOE UPSET AND I WAS INJURED. JIM THORPE GOT TO SHORE SAFELY, AND THEN SEEING THAT I WAS DROWNING, HE JUMPED INTO THE DANGEROUS WATERS AND PULLED ME OUT— IN DOING SO, HE WAS BADLY HURT..—HIT HIS HEAD ON A SHARP ROCK!
JIM THORPE WAS NEVER THE SAME AFTER THAT... SEEMED TO GET IN ONE JAM AFTER ANOTHER... WHEN THE STOLEN MONEY WAS TRACED TO OUR ROOM, JIM WENT ALL TO PIECES.. THE SIGHT OF HIM ALMOST BROKE MY HEART—THEN— I WROTE A CONFESSION AND SKIPPED OUT.

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS.

1 Stitchbird
4 River in India
9 Erse
14 Female relative: colloq.
15 Drench
16 Zest
17 White
19 Sacred image
21 Pronoun
22 Legislative body
23 Mahometan women's outer wrap
24 Bad
25 Unit
27 Lazily
28 Feminine name
30 Philippine lizard
31 Combining form for equal
32 A month
33 Garden flower
34 Wagnerian heroine
37 Jumbled type
37 Writing fluids
39 Persia
40 Son of Miled
41 Slips
43 Masculine name
44 Gaelic form of John
45 Secure
46 Russian czar
47 Ait
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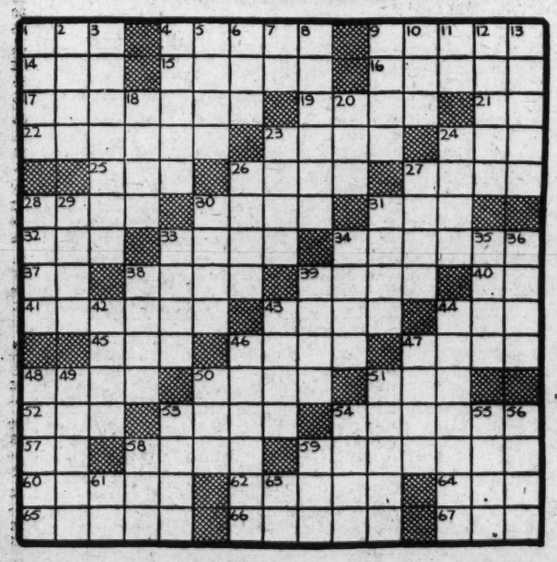

Bedtime Story

By Thornton W. Burgess.

Another Chapter in the Snow

Who what he sees can understand
A road to knowledge doth command.
—Old Mother Nature.

"Hi!" cried Farmer Brown's Boy, as he drew out of a hollow log a three-quarter-grown Rabbit kicking helplessly, but vigorously.

"Oh Tommy, isn't he darling?" cried Sue. "I'm so glad Reddy Fox didn't get him!"

"Then you arn't sorry for Reddy if he goes hungry?" said Tommy.

Sue wrinkled her nose at Tommy. "I don't want Reddy to go hungry, and he won't. He will get something else to eat," said Sue.

Tommy's freckled face broke into a grin. ""You mean he will get somebody, not something else to eat, why not the Rabbit?"

Sue's face clouded. "I didn't think of that," said she soberly. "Perhaps it will be only a Mouse," she added hopefully.

"I think it is dreadful!" exclaimed Sue.

"What is dreadful?" This was from Sammy, who had been listening.

""This hunting and living on others. Why can't they find something else, something that isn't alive, to eat?" replied Sue.

"I heard you ask for a second helping of chicken yesterday," retorted her brother promptly.

"I guess Old Mother Nature knows what she is about. The hunters are meat eaters because they have to be, and the grass and other fruit and vegetable eaters are such because they have to be. The meat eaters have teeth for their kind of food, not for the other kinds, and it is the same with the fruit and vegetable eaters. But most of those who kill do it only for food. It is all a part of Nature's plan to keep things balanced, I guess. If all the animals and all the birds ate the same kinds of food the supply wouldn't last long. I guess it is all right as long as Man doesn't meddle and ball things up. Now if you say so I'll let this scamp go and we'll see if we can read another chapter in the snow."

As he spoke Tommy stooped and let go of his prisoner at the end of the hollow log. The Rabbit darted inside. "No Fox will dine on that fellow today," laughed Tommy. "Now we'll see if we can find out what luck Reddy had after he left here."

So they followed Reddy's trail to read the story he had written in the snow. Tommy did the reading. The trail led from log to stump to boulder to brush pile to bramble tangle to thicket. "Reddy knows his businss. He isn't overlooking a bet," chuckled Tommy. "He was really hunting when he came over here last night, not just roaming about. If he got a dinner it wasn't just by chance. No, sir. He worked for it. He was hungry when he came along here. He has had a look at every place where he thought a Mouse might be hiding, and so far with no luck at all.

A little farther on they came to a stump with a small hole down between the roots. Around it were some dainty small footprints. "A Mouse," said Sammy.

""Right," replied Tommy. "Reddy saw that Mouse from back there where his tracks turned aside so abruptly. He saw that Mouse go into this hole and sneaked around quickly so as to approach from the opposite direction. Right there he crouched low behind that little hemlock and waited. The Mouse put his head out and looked for Reddy where he was last seen. After awhile he came wholly out. Here is where Reddy landed when he jumped, and when he moved on he wasn't as hungry as he had been."

A little farther on Tommy pointed out where Reddy had crept forward crouching so low that his body dragged in the snow. "He leaped right there and missed, for there is the trail of the one he leaped for.

"Another Rabbit!" cried Sue.

"No. Jumper the Hare this time. Just look at the length of those jumps. And Reddy went right after him."

"I wonder what the end of the story is?" said Sue.

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Grin and Bear It

By Lichty

"and here we are in the tomb of the ancient Egyptians. To your left you see old Egyptian inscriptions—to your right, the carved initials of last season's tourists!"

100 Are Jailed To Curb D. C. Crime Wave

5 Holdups Spur Drive On Colored Resorts In Second Precinct

More than 80 colored men were arrested early yesterday for investigation as robbery suspects in the most extensive police roundup of the year, as holdup men and burglars struck five times in the District within a few hours.

Most of the men were picked up in beer halls and resorts within the Second Precinct. The prisoners were fingerprinted and photographed and will be placed in lineups through the week for inspection by holdup and purse-snatching victims. Police said all the suspects have come to the District from North or South Carolina and are without regular employment.

A 15-year-old colored boy was shot in the neck when he was surprised by a watchman in what police said was an attempt to rob a meat market at Seventh and O streets northwest. Police said he entered the Old Fashioned Market through a window and was at the cash register when he was seen by Charles Knowles, 323 Sixth street southeast, watchman. Knowles fired, he said, because he thought the youth had a gun.

Raids Ordered By Chief

Meanwhile the vice squad, led by Sergt. George Deyoe, arrested three women and one man, all colored, for selling liquor without license, and booked 12 colored men for disorderly conduct after raids on three Second Precinct bootlegging establishments.

The raids were maid on order of Police Superintendent Ernest W. Brown in an effort to end an outbreak of armed robbery and other crime. Brown and other police officials have been aroused by daring operations of the "shotgun bandit" who has terrorized liquor store proprietors with repeated holdups in recent weeks.

Last week the police chief posted a $100 reward for the bandit's capture.

Woman Robbed on Street

John Michaelson, 512 Randolph street northwest, reported he was held up in front of his home by two colored men, armed with revolvers, and robbed of $900. The gunmen took $6 from Mrs. Helen Michaelson, who was accompanying her husband.

Michaelson told police he believed the thugs had followed him home from a liquor store he operates in the 800 block of Florida avenue northwest.

Walking in the 900 block of N street northwest, Anna F. Swaziek, 1305 Tenth street northwest, was struck to the sidewalk by a colored man who seized her handbag containing $11 in cash and a $72 Government check.

James Taylor, attendant at a service station in the 800 block of Florida avenue northwest, reported theft of a combination adding machine and cash register, valued at $125, and its contents of $25, taken while he slept in the station.

Clothing valued at $119 was stolen from an automobile owned by Thomas J. Fleming, of the New Colonial Hotel, while parked at Fifteenth and L streets northwest. He told police he suspected two colored boys who offered to wash his car.

Thieves broke into a gasoline station in the 3900 block of Canal road northwest via a coal chute and escaped with $100 in bills which had been stuffed into a piece of radiator hose in a back room, according to John Tilson, attendant, who lives at 3434 Brown street northwest.

George W. Smith, 1323 Rhode Island avenue northwest, informed police he was robbed of $60 while drinking with a 35 or 40-year-old man in a room at Third and G streets northwest.

Northampton's Aviators Awarded Moffett Trophy

The Rear Admiral William Moffett Memorial Trophy for safe flying in 1938 yesterday was awarded to the aviation unit of the U. S. S. Northampton, the Navy Department announced. The Northampton, flagship of Cruiser Division 4, Scouting Force, is now at San Pedro, Calif.

Under the rules of the award, Lieut. Robert Goldthwaite, senior aviator of the unit, will receive the trophy. The Northampton was commanded first by Capt. A. S. Carpender and then by Capt. Francis A. L. Vossler in the last year.

The trophy, a large silver plaque, is awarded annually to the aviation unit, based with battleship or cruiser, which conducts its operations throughout the year with the maximum of safety. The trophy is named after the late chief of the Bureau of Aeronautics.

Lieut. Goldthwaite, of Montgomery, Ala., completed the Naval War College course in 1936 and was on duty here for a year in the Bureau of Aeronautics.

To Protest WPA Cut

A mass meeting of WPA workers and unemployed will be held at 8 p. m. Thursday in the Pythian Temple, 1012 Ninth street northwest, under auspices of the District Workers Alliance, to protest reduction of WPA rolls.

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Postal Wives Do Their Christmas Mailing Early

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350 D. C. Children To Sing Carols

Three hundred and fifty District children will participate in a Christmas carol program in the Library of Congress Wednesday afternoon, at 4:30. The programm will be broadcast over a national hookup via WMAL.

The chorus is sponsored by the recreation division of the Council of Social Agencies. The young singers come from 11 agencies, Georgetown Children's House, St. Joseph's Orphanage, E Street Y. W. C. A., Girl Scouts, John Quincy Adams group, Cub Scouts, Neighborhood House, Friendship House, Y. W. C. A., Playground Department, and Christ Child Settlement.

The singers will be directed by Miss Jessie Olin, in charge of music at Friendship House, who has trained the chorus. The Marine Band will play, directed by William Santelman. Transportation of the children to the Library of Congress will be furnished by the Capital Transit Co., Red Cross Motor Service, Rotary Club, and volunteers.

Georgetown Citizens To Hear Van Duzer

The Georgetown Citizens Association will meet tonight instead of next Monday, E. R. Lewis, president, has announced. The meeting will be held in St. John's Church parish hall, 3240 O street northwest. Traffic Director Van Duzer will discuss pedestrian control.

Baby Scalds Self

Ella Poge, colored, 23 months, was scalded yesterday when she turned over a pan of hot water at her home, Old Bladensburg road, Clifton Park, Md. At Freedmen's Hospital the child was found to have serious back burns.

Never Late to Work in 32 Years, U.S. Matron Honored at Church

Mrs. Green Presented on Shiloh Forum By Park Service Official; Never Owed Anyone in Department Money

Never late once in 32 years as matron in the National Park Service, Mrs. Frances L. Green, of 312 Third street southwest, was introduced yesterday to her fellow workers, who suspected her record as little as she realized its brilliance.

Mrs. Green is a retiring person and when presented in Shiloh Baptist Church before the Sunday forum of the United Government Employes by Bert C. Gardner, chief of operations of the National Park Service, only said that anyone could make the same record with the help of regular habits and a good alarm clock.

Has she ever missed a day's work excepting holidays? Yes, Mrs. Green admits sorrowfully to a whole month's absence once several years ago when she had a cold, but she worried so about her house work, which is her hobby, and her job, too, that the doctor told her she had better get up or she really would be a sick woman.

Gardner who was guest speaker of the forum, told the 150 Government workers present that he had found Mrs. Green's name quite by accident while checking through records of some of the employes under him, and had been struck at once by the lack of delinquency marks. Checking further, he found she had never owed anyone in the department any money, which he thought rather unique, too.

Even after 32 years, the young-looking matron is not anxious for retirement. "Being introduced in public is a thrill that comes once in a lifetime," she said. "But maybe it will happen to me again. I have several years to go yet and I wouldn't know what to do if I couldn't be perfect at least once a day."

Treasury Employe's Death Ruled Suicide

A certificate of suicide was issued yesterday by Coroner MacDonald in the fatal shooting of Upton L. Gulick, 32, 4643 Clark place northwest. Gulick, a Treasury Department employe, died in Georgetown Hospital Saturday night after he shot himself in the temple while driving in the 4700 block Conduit road northwest.

W. C. Rives, 3d, Philanthropic Leader, Dies

Rites Here Wednesday For Doctor, Grandson Of Former Va. Senator

William Cabell Rives 3d, philanthropist and member of a prominent Virginia family, died yesterday at his home, 1702 Rhode Island avenue northwest, after a brief illness.

The son of William Cabell Rives 2d, and Mrs. Rives, of Castle Hill, Albemarle County, Va., Dr. Rives was born in Paris when his grandfather, also named William Cabell Rives, one-time United States Senator from Virginia, was Minister to France.

Dr. Rives was educated at Harvard, graduating in 1871, and at Corpus Christi College, Oxford University, England. He studied medicine at hospitals in Vienna.

Returning to this country after receiving his medical degree, Dr. Rives practiced for many years in charity wards of hospitals of New York and Newport, R. I.

Dr. Rives came to Washington in 1900 to carry on charity work in this city. A leader in several child and philanthropical organizations for colored here and in the South, he was also a trustee of the Associated Charities, the Episcopal Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital, and the Washington Cathedral.

Dr. Rives married the late Mary Rhinelander Sears, of Boston, in 1876. He was the brother-in-law of Bishop Philip Rhinelander, former Bishop of Pennsylvania, and for 12 years dean of the College of Preachers of the Cathedral.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a. m. Wednesday in the Cathedral. The body will remain in a vault awaiting burial in the spring.

Man Is Stabbed; Companion Held

Abe C. Hughes, 33, of 1108 L street northwest, stabbed in the abdomen during an altercation with another man over money Saturday night, was in a serious condition in Emergency Hospital last night.

The stabbing occurred at Hughes' home, police said, where they found a bloody carving knife. Doctors said he has a good chance to recover.

Winslow G. Ware, 26, of the same address, was cut on the throat and bitten in the hands in a fight. He was given first aid at Emergency and then locked up at the Second Precinct. No charges were placed against him, but he will be held pending the outcome of Hughes' wounds, police stated.

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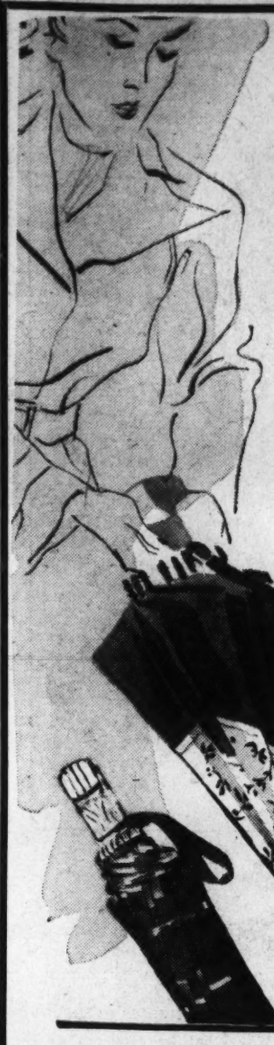

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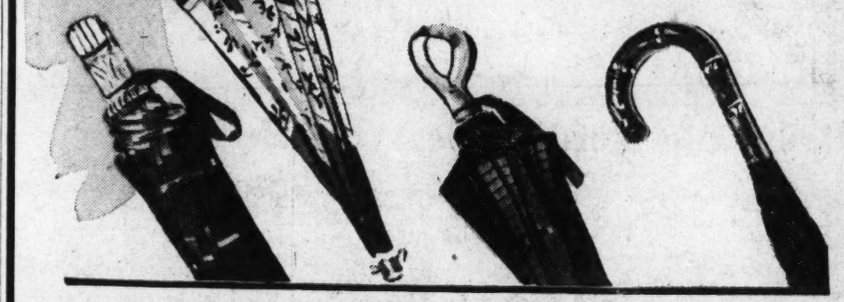

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